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Hearing Of Charges Against Daugherty Opens; American Federation Of Labor Aids Prosecution

AMERICAN ENVOY ON ISLAND OF MALTA SHOT

VALETTA, MALTA, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Mason Mitchell, of New York, American consul on the Island of Malta, was shot and wounded today near Barara. His assailant escaped but pursuit was immediately taken up. Mr. Mitchell was taken to a physician for treatment.

Three other Americans are still being held captive and the diplomatic corps here has appointed a commission which will start for Honan Province Thursday to negotiate their release.

I know nobody who could have done this, exclaimed Mr. Mitchell as assistance came to him.

The consul is described as a great pearson here and he has taken a keen interest in the welfare of the island and its people. The attack upon him has aroused indignation.

Mr. Mitchell was slightly wounded, the bullet embedding itself in his coat. He was taken to his home where this afternoon he was confined to his bed but with the expectation that he would be about in a day or two. The shooting is generally attributed to a mad man.

Mitchell has had a pitcuresque career as an actor, writer, traveler, soldier and diplomat.

Born in Hamilton, N. Y., in 1859 he went on the stage at the age of 18. At one time he managed the Garrick theatre, New York.

In the Spanish war he was a member of Roosevelt's rough riders and was wounded at the battle of Santiago. He served as American consul at Sansiber Chungkung China and Apia Simon. When the World War broke out he took over the British and French interests in German Samoa. He has traveled extensively.

John Wanamaker, Merchant Prince, Dies At Age Of 84

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 12.—John Wanamaker died at his home here at 8 a. m. The world famous merchant and former postmaster-general passed away at his town house here. He had been confined there since early in November with a heavy cold contracted at his country estate, "Lyndenhurst" at Jenkinton, near here. He was 84 years old.

Mr. Wanamaker was active in his business affairs up to the time he was stricken. He spent much of last winter in Florida and was in this city all summer hard at work with the exception of occasional surcease from the duties of his office for a day at the seashore. He was always an early riser and was usually in his mercantile establishment before its doors were opened.

Mr. Wanamaker is survived by his son, Rodman, a resident of New York City and two daughters, Mary B. wife of Barclay H. Warburton and Elizabeth, wife of Norman McLeod, both of Philadelphia.

The Wanamaker store here and the one in New York were not opened a notice, appearing on the doors that the stores would remain closed until further notice. The funeral day will be announced later.

The death of Mr. Wanamaker, who spent his entire life in Philadelphia and was always one of its leaders in civic movement was received with sorrow by all classes of citizens.

Mr. Wanamaker's life was insured for more than $3,000,000, he having been one of the leaders among the heavily insured men in the country.

After Mr. Wanamaker was brought to his town house he did not improve and about two weeks ago his condition became such as to cause anxiety. A week ago however, Mr. Wanamaker showed such marked improvement that physicians ceased issuing bulletins. Last midnight he became unconscious. At 5 o'clock this morning he was seized with a violent coughing spell, his physicians stated, which resulted in extreme heart weakness, Major Barclay H. Warburton, Mr. Wanamaker's son-in-law, notified the Associated Press t hat Mr. Wanamaker died peacefully at 8 a. m.

When Mr. Wanamaker's condition became grave during the night all the members of the family were summoned and all were present with the exception of Rodman Wanamaker who arrived too late.

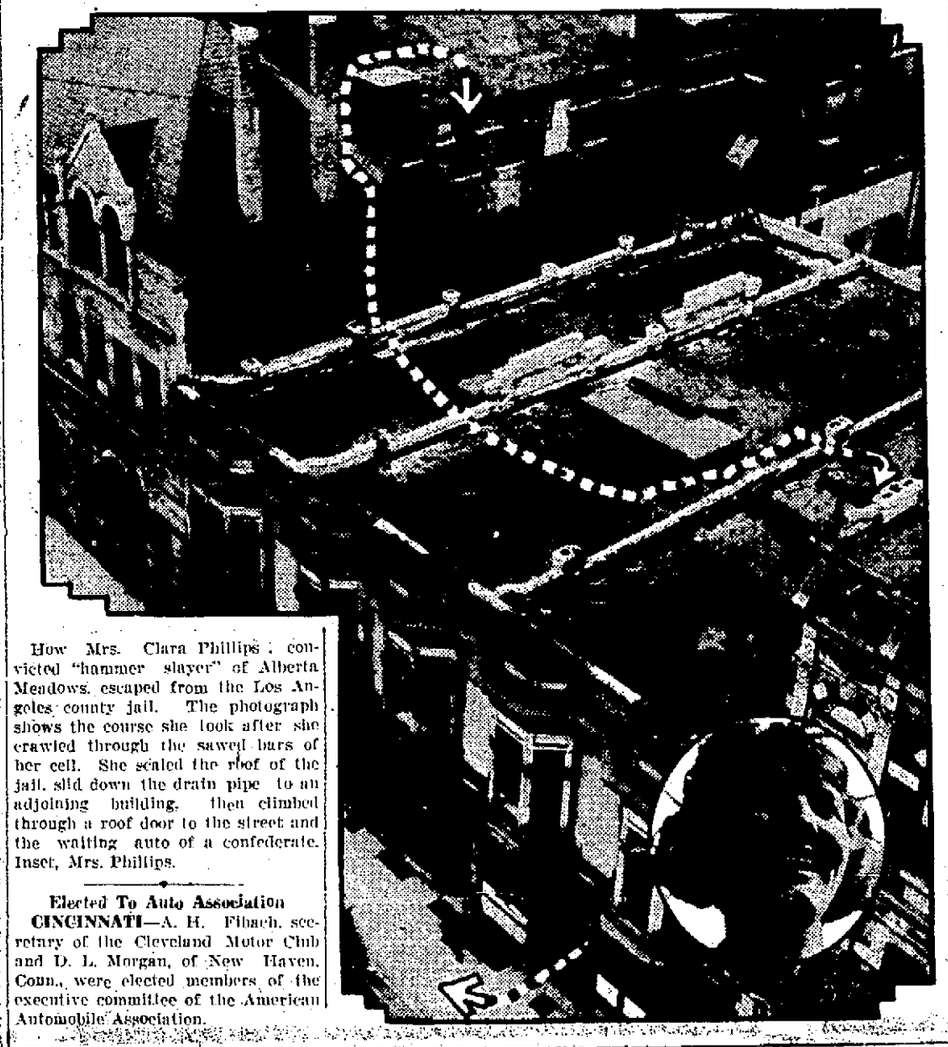
Hundreds Hunt For Missing Boy

JUNCTION CITY, KAS., December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Two thousand men, a unit of cavalry from Fort Rielly and two airplane pilots despaired today of finding Marvin Koepke, five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Koepke, Junction City, missing since late Sunday, and sought a new clue that might lead to the boy. The men, who returned last night from a 26-hour search, asserted it was their belief that the boy was not in the wide area searched. Blood hounds lost the scent a short distance from the Koepke residence and that led to the belief in some quarters that the boy might have been kidnapped. The unusual cold of the last 24 hours, caused redoubled efforts as it was thought the lad could not survive if unable to get food or shelter.

Madame Gadski Keeps Other Engagements

LOS ANGELES CALIF., December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Madame Johanna Gadski, prima donna, prepared today to keep other engagements after having cancelled her engagement last night as a result of continued protests by the American Legion and other patriotic organizations. The diva was accused by members and posts of the American Legion and allied societies of having been pro-German during the World War.

How Clara Phillips Got Away



How Mrs. Clara Phillips, convicted "hammer slayer" of Alberta Meadows, escaped from the Los Angeles county jail. The photograph shows the course she took after she crawled through the sawed bars of her cell. She scaled the roof of the jail, slid down the drain pipe to an adjoining building, then climbed through a roof door to the street and the waiting auto of a confederate. Inset, Mrs. Phillips.

Elected To Auto Association

CINCINNATI—A. H. Fibach, secretary of the Cleveland Motor Club and D. L. Morgan, of New Haven, Conn., were elected members of the executive committee of the American Automobile Association.

NEGRO SLAIN; HOTEL IS BURNED BY MOB IN TEXAS

STREETMAN, TEXAS, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Streetman was quiet today after wild excitement which attended the lynching yesterday of a negro man and the burning of the only negro hotel last night.

George Gay, 25, was shot to death by a mob after he had been accused of an attack on a white woman.

The hotel was burned last night. Cause of the fire is unknown. The mob which took Gay from the sheriff's party which was trying to get him to safety had dispersed before the fire broke out.

Circumstantial evidence only connected Gay with the crime, according to officers, as he never was identified by the young woman as her assailant.

The young woman recovered quickly from the shock. She was uninjured except for a few scratches.

Must Go To The Chair

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 12—(By the A. P.)—Charles A. Habig of Cleveland who killed a Cleveland policeman while attempting to escape from a robbery, will have to die in the electric chair at the Ohio penitentiary, the supreme court decided this morning when it reversed the action of the court of appeals, which had granted Habig a new trial.

Daugherty Puts Up A Smoke Screen, Charged

WASHINGTON, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—After an hour and a half of wrangling, the house judiciary committee voted today in executive session to proceed with the hearing of impeachment charges brought against Attorney General Daugherty by Representative Keller, Republican, Minnesota, in the manner insisted on by Mr. Keller.

WASHINGTON, December 12.—(By the United Press)—Hearings in the Daugherty impeachment proceedings started today before the house judiciary committee with counsel for Attorney General Daugherty demanding identity of the persons "behind this thing."

"What we want to know at the start," declared former Congressman Paul Howland, of Cleveland, representing Daugherty, "who is behind Representative Keller in this impeachment resolution?" He says in the record that he was aided in the preparation of his charges by certain other persons. Now we want to hear who those persons are.

"The attorney general and his friends are trying at the outset to throw up a smoke screen," declared Attorney Jackson H. Ralston, for Keller.

"Ordered to do so by the committee, Ralston finally said he helped Keller and thought Samuel Untermyer, of New York, aided. The committee then grilled Ralston as to his connection in the case asking who was paying him.

"I was asked by President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor to prepare certain of the charges," said Ralston.

"Then you represent the American Federation of Labor and Gompers?" asked Chairman Volstead.

"Yes, I am their counsel," replied Ralston, "but I am appearing in this case for Mr. Keller.

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Arrested Woman Not Mrs. Phillips

CASPER, WYO., December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Belief that Casper police had succeeded in apprehending Clara Phillips, convicted slayer of Mrs. Alberta Meadows, who escaped from the Los Angeles jail on December 6, was exploded today when a suspect arrested last night declared she was Beatrice Craig, of Kirby, Wyoming.

The woman said she had been living in Casper about three weeks. Police authorities announced they had definitely established her identity as Beatrice Craig.

Sentenced For Life

BOWLING GREEN—George Shaffer was sentenced to life imprisonment in the Ohio penitentiary by Judge Elmer G. McClelland on conviction of second degree murder for having killed Ralph Beckett last June.

Killed By Train

AKRON—Wm. Juckers, 23, of Boston Hills, was killed by a B. & O. train.

Disastrous Blaze

CANESVILLE—The Kochler Bentwood Works of South Zanesville, was totally destroyed by fire with losses estimated at between $200,000 and $300,000.

$200,000 Fire Visits Culver

CULVER, IND.—Damage estimated at $200,000, was caused by fire which broke out at the Culver Military Academy.

Bootleggers In Jail Causes Near Riot

STEUBENVILLE — An alleged bootlegger who swindled prisoners in the jail out of $1.40, caused a near riot in the jail.

Missionary Released

PEKING, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Anton Lundeen of New Mangrove, Neb., a missionary who was kidnapped by bandits in Honan Province, on October 13, last, has been released, it was announced here today.

Army Of Dry Agents And Planes To Attack "Moonshine Valley"

COVINGTON, Ky., Dec. 12—Preparations to mass 500 prohibition agents equipped with bombing planes and machine guns for an onslaught on the mountain stronghold of "Bob" Ballard's band of Menifee county moonshiners are being made by federal authorities, according to three officials who returned to Covington from Mt. Sterling yesterday. They had been a part of the posse of fifty prohibition agents who were repulsed after R. E. Duff and David Treadway prohibition agents, had been shot and killed in a three days seige of the moonshiners, near Slate Creek.

The three officers, Elmer Correll, James Weed, and W. C. Huddleson said the war department would be appealed to for two bombing planes and a number of machine guns, pointing out that only by bombing the entire mountain would it be possible to drive the moonshiners from the caves and natural barricades afforded in the wild section of the state.

Belief that moonshiners from other districts were constantly reneforcing those entrenched in the Slate Creek section, was expressed by Correll.

MISSISSIPPI GOVERNOR ACQUITTED OF CHARGES

OXFORD, MISS., December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Lee M. Russell, governor of Mississippi, today stood cleared of the charges brought against him by Miss Frances C. Birkhead, his former stenographer, in her suit filed in federal district court here for $100,000 damages.

A seven word verdict, "We, the jury, find for the defendant," furnished a dramatic climax late yesterday to the seven day trial.

Miss Birkhead alleged seduction and impairment of health as the result of an alleged operation which she declared the governor had connived at, and asked $50,000 in each instance. The verdict was presented just 28 minutes after the conclusion of arguments.

Neither of the principals was in court when the finding of the jury, composed of men ranging in age from 46 to 76 years of age, was reported.

As a result of the failure to respond to summons by counsel for the plaintiff, a citation has been issued for Theo. G. Bilbo, former governor, and it is expected he will be required to appear before Judge Holmes at the April term of court.

C. M. McNeil, chief counsel for Miss Birkhead, would make no statement today as to future action, but indicated an appeal would be taken.

$250,000 Lumber Yard Conflagration

PONTIAC, MICH., December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Fire that started last night in the Pontiac lumber yard here had caused a loss estimated at $250,000 before it was brought under control early today. The blaze, believed to have started from an overheated stove, destroyed the lumber yard and the W. G. Burke business block adjoining. Several industrial plants, including that of the Oakland Motor Company, were threatened for several hours.

Huge Drug Raid Made

NEW YORK, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Narcotics valued at $50,000 and the names and addresses of about 1,000 persons said by the police to be selling agents and addicts, were seized early today by Deputy Police Commissioner Carleton Simon and a force of agents. William Williams, in whose apartment the drugs were found, was arrested and is held for investigation.

Among the seized letters and cards, Deputy Commissioner Simon said was one from a well known motion picture actor in Holly Wood, Calif., indicating that the actor acted as a selling agent. California authorities were notified of the seizure and requested to make an investigation.

Ship Aground; 55 On Board

SAN FRANCISCO, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—The British freight steamer Orteric, carrying 55 persons, aground off Fish Rock, on the California coast, fifty miles north of Point Reyes, was sighted at 1:40 a. m. today by the steamer Elsegundo, according to a wireless message received at the Federal Telegraph Company's beach radio station here. The Elsegundo left San Francisco last night to rescue the Orteric. The Elsegundo reported that the Orteric was being pounded on a steep coast and that it was unlikely any of the crew had gone ashore, but that it would not be difficult to effect a rescue from the sea side. Water was reported coming into the Orteric's number one and six holds. The Orteric, a vessel of 0,696 tons, left San Francisco yesterday for Eureka, where she was to load lumber.

Dismissal For Hazing By Midshipmen

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12—(By the A. P.)—Adherence by the Navy department to a policy of rigid enforcement of the anti-hazing law at the naval academy to prevent subjection of underclassmen to physical violence or public humiliation was seen today in the penalty of dismissal from the academy imposed upon two midshipmen and the loss of one year in their academy courses imposed upon three others. The two dismissal sentences resulting from court martial trial of the recent hazing cases at the academy were approved yesterday by President Harding who at the same time, on recommendation of Secretary Denby approved modification of dismissal sentences in the other three cases to the loss of a year in standing. Other cases of a similar nature still await final action.

The midshipmen dismissed were Bruce H. Robinson, appointed from Arizona and Stuart H. Hawkins, Massachusetts, while those demoted in their courses were Midshipmen Thomas J. Casey, Massachusetts; Thomas E. Boyce, Indiana and H. C. Fish, New York.

To Pay $10,000 Final Settlement

TOLEDO — The Willys-Overland Company will pay the receivers of the Willys' Corporation $10,000 in final settlement of all claims, counter claims and book accounts against them.

Cold Wave Hits The Nation; Ohio Gets It

COLUMBUS, O., December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—The first real cold wave of the winter was descending on Ohio today and within the next 24 hours the weather bureau predicted that the thermometer would reach ten degrees or lower.

At seven o'clock this morning the thermometer registered 34 above. Two hours later it had dropped to 29 and was steadily dropping.

The intense cold probably will last about two days, the weather forecaster announced, although good winter weather is in sight for several days. The cold wave struck Chicago about midnight and was reaching eastward fast. At 7 o'clock this morning, the thermometer had dropped to 18 at Indianapolis.

CHICAGO, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—A high wind brought the first severely cold weather to the states of the middlewest today while the northwest for the second time was in the grip of sub-zero temperatures. Cold wave warnings were issued for the Ohio and Mississippi Valleys and forecasters predicted the cold weather in the northwest would spread eastward today, preceded however, by rising temperature. The coldest weather recorded this winter prevailed in the northern part of the Rocky Mountain region.

Temperatures ranged from 12 to 27 below in Wyoming and Montana.

Throughout the cold wave section reports indicated a high wind intensified the cold.

A dropping thermometer, weather forecasters announced, heralded the arrival of the wave in Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma, giving those states their first real winter. The mercury was expected to reach ten above early today and continue its downward progress until near zero tonight.

Cold wave warnings have been issued for Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia, Western Pennsylvania, Western and Northern New York, Western Tennessee and extreme Northern Mississippi. Colder weather, accompanied by snow, was predicted also for Colorado and Western Texas.

In Chicago, a high wind made the cold more apparent. Beginning last night the thermometer dropped until early this morning, when it reached 15 above, the lowest of the winter.

They Leaped Like Gray Demons—

Brent went down as a young tree breaks and falls in a gale.

Fenris, This Powerful Timber Wolf, Had Come With His Savage Comrades To Save His Master.

Read this fascinating, remarkable story of romance and adventure in the wilds of the Caribou Range in British Columbia.

"The Sky Line Of Spruce" Starts Thursday, December 14, In The Times

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

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"Baby Mine"

Billy Butt-In

THE TIMES WEATHER MAN

This cold wave ought to give some folks a real thrill, as they haven't had one this winter. Here's for tomorrow:

OHIO—Fair tonight with a cold wave. Wednesday fair. Continued cold.

KENTUCKY—Fair with a cold wave tonight. Wednesday fair. Continued cold.

The extremes in local temperatures today were: High, 51; low, 32.

America Trying To Bring About Adjustment Of European Snarl

WASHINGTON, December 12.—(By the United Press)—The American government is actively trying to bring about an adjustment of the current European situation, it was declared on high authority at the White House today. This statement was made following the revelation that President Harding and his cabinet at a meeting today had an extended discussion on world affairs. This undoubtedly involved failure of the London conference of European premiers. A satisfactory adjustment of the most pressing question abroad, including German reparations, is of most vital need to the world, the administration spokesman said.

LONDON, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—The belief that Great Britain intends to sound out the American government's willingness to take some such action in reference to allied debts as the possible cancellation of the French debt, is asserted by the Daily Telegraph's diplomatic expert.

The French delegation to the adjourned premiers' conference was reported last night as holding that the British might approach the United States before the January 2 meeting of the premiers to ascertain whether America would be willing to consider either cancellation of the French debt or participation in a conference for consideration of such a step.

Situation Acute

WASHINGTON, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—It was said at the White House today that while all official comment would be withheld for the present, it could not be denied that the Washington government regarded the reparations difficulties brought to a head by the premiers' council in London as one of the most acute problems now vexing Europe.

There was no attempt to disguise the concern of the United States in the apparent lack of promise of an adjustment of allied views as to Germany. That concern, it was indicated, extends to other European questions as well and in all of these matters, it was added, the Washington administration has not been inactive.

No Proposals Received

WASHINGTON, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—No proposals for American participation in the reparations discussion by the allied premiers has reached the Washington government. On the contrary, even routine reports of an official character as to yesterday's developments in London have been delayed, and the government still is dependent upon these reports for its information as to the present status of the discussions.

Pending examination of the suggestion that the United States cancel the French war debt to this government as part of a general European settlement, officials are not inclined to make any comment. It is recalled however, that authorized spokesmen for the United States government have held that the whole question of allied war debts to the United States has passed out of the hands of the executive branch of the government, congress having charged that the debt funding commission with the negotiation of all refunding agreements. This commission, moreover, is specially described in the act of creating it as a refunding commission which in the opinion of some officials precludes it from considering any question of cancellation.

It has been said on the highest authority therefore that the president has no power to negotiate cancellation agreements even if that were his desire. It would be necessary under this view to take any such suggestion before congress, whose specific sanction hardly could be obtained before the allied premiers re-assemble just after the first of the year.

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SOCIETY

Groups Two-Three of Trinity Ladies' Aid Society will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. James McMullan, 1513 Mound street. A feature of the afternoon will be a passing party, no gift to exceed fifty cents. All members are cordially invited to be present.

Prof. Elmer Ende, organist of the Second Presbyterian church, will give an illustrated lecture in Bigelow church tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock. He will take for his subject "The Growth and Development of the Organ," and will show the development of the "King of Instruments" since the fifteenth century. The following illustrations will be included in his program:

Fantasy—Paulus Hofheymer (1449-1537).

Canzona—Andrea Gabrieli (1510-1586).

Chorale Prelude—Samuel Scheidt (1587-1654).

(a) Chorale Prelude on "Now Thank We All Our God".

(b) Toccata and Fugue in D Minor—J. S. Bach (1685-1750).

Adagio (First Sonata)—F. Mendelssohn (1809-1847).

Piece Heroique—Cesar Franck (1822-1890).

The Night — Sigfrid Karg-Elert —(1879-19-).

This will be the first of a series of delightful illustrated lectures to be given by the Ladies' Musicale during the season of 1922-23 by Professor Ende. The second will be given January 10th, the third on March 14th and the fourth on April 10th.

The public is cordially invited to take advantage of this series of delightful concerts, and the Executive Board wishes to state that no qualifications are necessary for membership other than the payment of dues.

The Class of Loyal Women of the Grandview Avenue Church will meet in business and social session at the home of Mrs. Arthur Donnavant, on Linden avenue, on Thursday evening at seven o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

Joan is the name given to the little daughter born on November 10th to Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Steed, of 2724 Argonne Road. Mr. Steed is a clerk at the Distel Furniture Company's store.

A new boy, the third child in the family, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Stir of 1525 Seventh street, Monday. A daughter of the household is recovering from an attack of typhoid fever, after a six weeks' illness. Mr. Stir is connected with the Distel Furniture Company.

Group 8 of Trinity Ladies' Aid Society will meet tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock at the home of Mrs. Walter White, 1836 Grant street, with Mrs. John Chick as the assistant hostess. All members are invited to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Anderson (Sadie Daniels) are the parents of a baby son born yesterday at their home on Garfield street.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fultz and son Harold and daughter Juanita and Mrs. C. L. Gregory and daughter, Virginia, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Henderson of Thirteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cross, (Lenora Smith) of Sciotoville announce the birth of a baby girl, Alice Miriam Cross, on Sunday morning, December 10th.

Mrs. Amanda Rose of Jasper recently visited her daughter, Mrs. Earl Ashcraft, of the Bannon Farm, Mrs. Samuel Merritt of Lucasville, and Mr. and Mrs. William Newton of Piketon.

J. H. Jackson Is Commander

John H. Jackson was elected chancellor-commander, the head office in Harmony Lodge, Knights of Pythias, last night when the regular meeting of the lodge was held with a large attendance. These new officers serve for the ensuing six months. There was also a discussion of the building project and it was the opinion of the members that work should be started early this spring. The new lodge building will be a three story structure to go up on Eleventh street east of John.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

Chancellor Commander — John H. Jackson.

Vice Chancellor—William White.

Prelate—Carl Parker.

Inner Guard—John Lewis.

Outer Guard—Raymond Johnson.

Taken Violently Ill

Fred Ebenfeld, 1210 Findlay street, messenger, employed by the American Railway Express company, was taken violently ill while out on his run to Bluefield Monday and he was forced to leave the train at Ironton and return home. His condition Tuesday was somewhat improved.

LEAVES FOR EAST

MILWAUKEE, WIS., December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Ritchie Mitchell, Milwaukee boxer, engaged to meet Charlie White, Chicago light weight, in a 12 round decision bout in Madison Square Garden, N. Y., Friday night, left for the east today. Mitchell planned to continue his training in a baggage car enroute.

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$19.95

This wonderful sale is an offering of coats purchased only last week when our buyer, Mr. A. Goldstein, was in New York. He closed out several lots of fine coats, buying them from the manufacturer at a price which enables us to make this pre-Christmas offering. Early in the season we sold coats of this quality at $29.50, but we marked these new arrivals $23.75 and $25. Now as a special holiday event, we will place them on sale at $19.95.

One of these coats would make a wonderful Christmas gift.

Choice Selection of High Grade Coats $35 to $49.50

Our showing of the higher grade coats is complete, last week bringing us many new models to add to our already large stock. These coats are all beautiful, tailored of the new soft fabrics. Rich in their trimming of fox, squirrel, nutria or beaver, they are just the thing for winter wear. Each coat is different and it is impossible to describe in a few words the wide range of new styles, but we can say that every woman will be delighted with the models she finds here, now especially while our cases are well stocked with the new arrivals from New York. Many of the coats early in the season were priced from $69.50 to $89.50.

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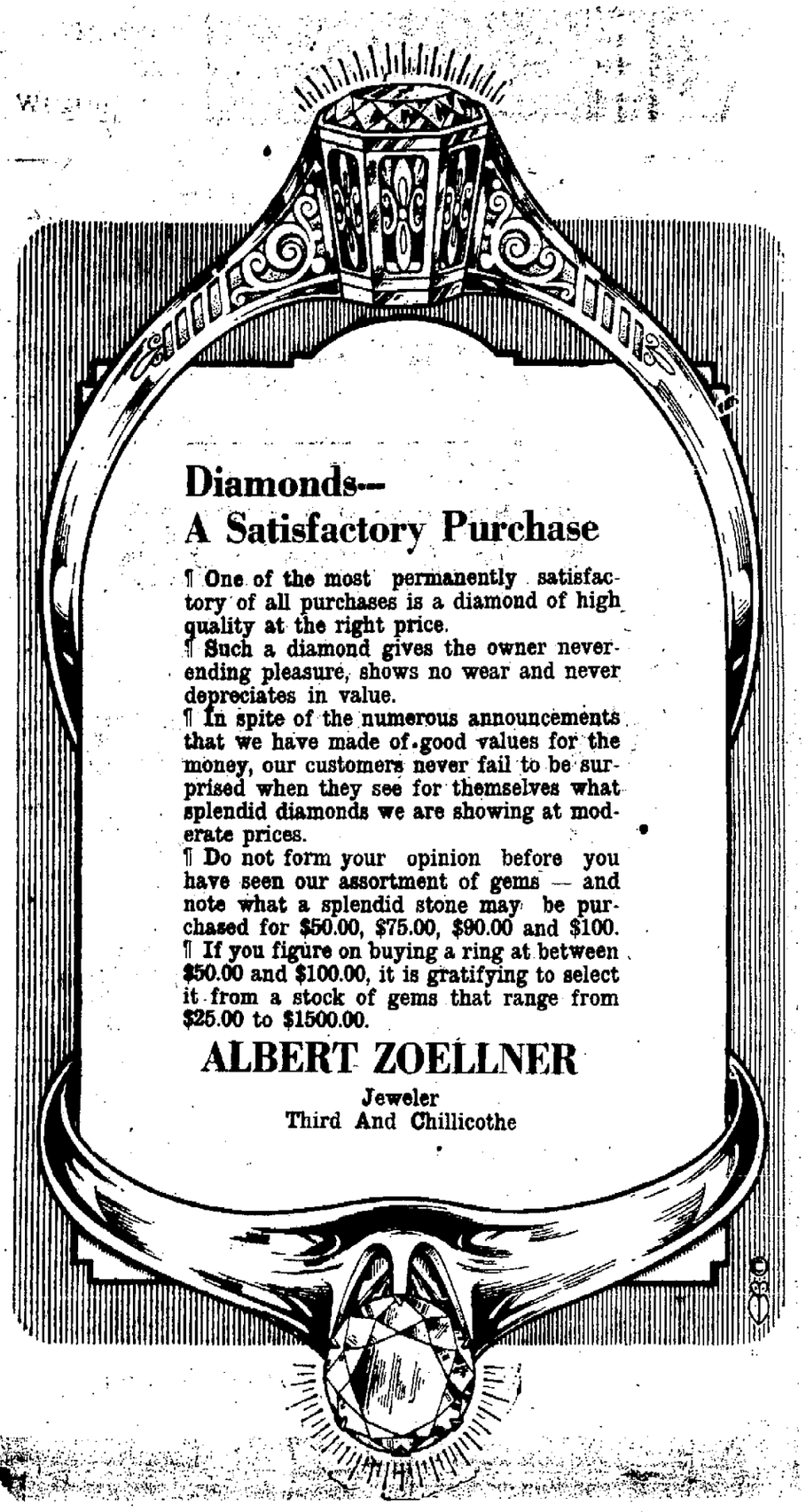

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Couple Murdered; Heads Chopped

MIDDLETOWN, IND., December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Wm. Shaffer, 35 years old, a farmer and his wife, were found murdered near here today. Mrs. Shaffer's head had been cut off by a sharp instrument, presumably an axe, and Shaffer's head was split wide open. The bodies were found by a party of passing farmers.

Mrs. Shaffer's body was found in bed while that of her husband was found in a barn. A four-year-old girl, uninjured, but suffering from exposure and lack of food, was unable to give any details of the tragedy. The couple is believed to have been dead for several days.

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SOCIETY

Last Sunday will surely be one day long remembered by the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Christian church. It was their day, and to prove that they know what to do with a day when they have one they surely put over a big program. They had been planning for this day for some time and had invited Rev. A. F. Hensey, a Missionary to Africa, who is forced to remain at home for some time on account of his health. He had sufficiently recovered to accept the invitation and was present, prepared to enjoy his visit to the full. Rev. Hensey spent about seventeen years of his life in work on the Congo River, near Bolenge, Africa, and he surely had a fund of stories of the life in the "Dark Continent." At the morning church service he was greeted by a large audience who listened intently to the stories he had to tell of the work being carried on across the waves. But the climax came when the women invited him together with a number of others to a "Missionary Tea" in the basement of the church when the "Big Family" at the corner of Third and Gay gathered about the table and exchanged the experiences of the day and asked questions concerning life in the far off country in which they are so much interested.

At the close of the repast, reports from those who had made the every member canvas in the afternoon were heard and all rejoiced in that it showed a splendid work nobly done. These reports over, Rev. Hensey led the men in a round table discussion on Africa at which time many questions were asked which he answered with such simple directness that he won his way to the hearts of his auditors at once.

Rev. Hensey spoke again at the evening service, continuing his story of the work accomplished and the vast amount yet to be done. In his honor the Missionary Society and the Missionary Triangle came in in a body and were seated in a section reserved for them.

The memory of Rev. Hensey and his visit to First Christian will be a topic for conversation for the members for many months and there is little doubt but they will ask him to come again soon if possible. He departed for home Monday. While in the city he was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Howland, 1729 Timmonds avenue.

Buy Christmas Seals.

Illinois Votes On New Constitution

CHICAGO, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Voters of Illinois, today ballotted on replacing the present basic law of more than half a century's standing with a new constitution evolved by two years deliberation by a constitutional convention. The state, according to the politicians is divided into two clearly defined sections, the down state portion said as a whole to favor the new constitution and Cook county (Chicago) generally regarded as opposed to the new plan.

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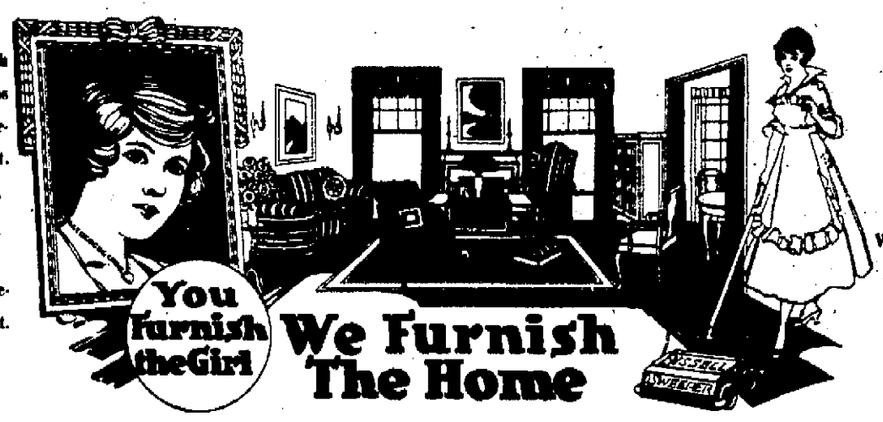

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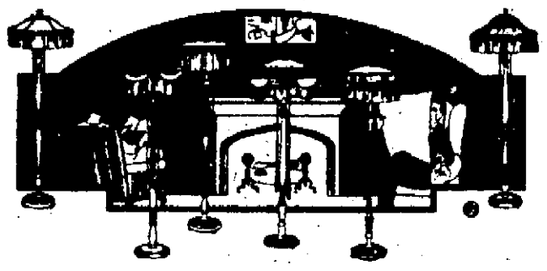

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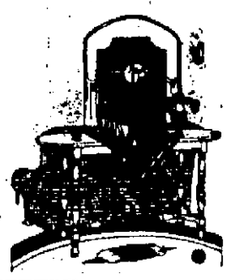

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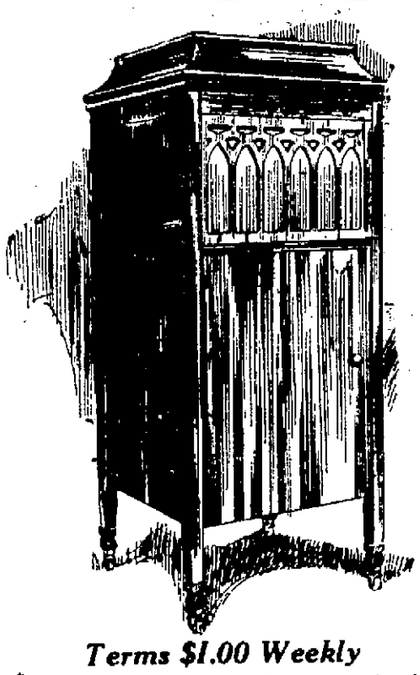

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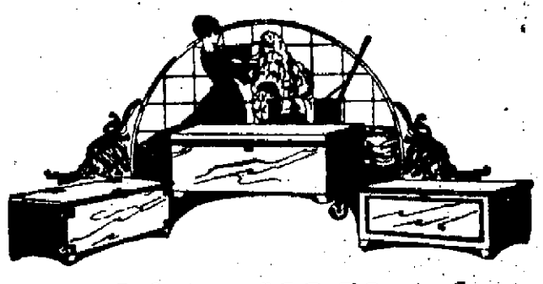

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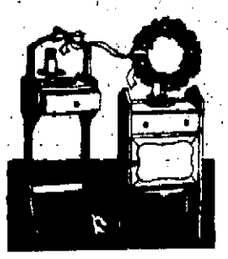

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Of the many smoking outfits we are certain one from our display will make a satisfactory gift. Some have overhead handle and one drawer, others have airtight compartments for preserving the mellowness of tobacco. Stands finished in Brown Mahogany.

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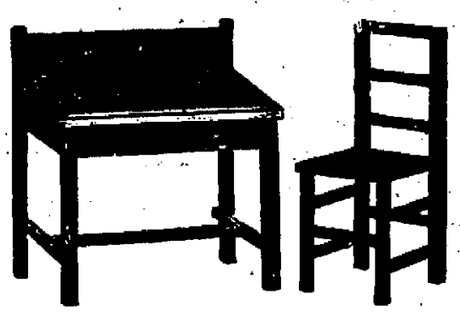

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Ashland Man Killed; Posse Seeks Slayer

ASHLAND, Ky., Dec. 12—George "Curley" McNaughton, 55, is dead and a posse of police and volunteer citizens are combing this section in search of three men in a Ford automobile who early last night entered a soft drink establishment in the heart of the business section, where they shot down McNaughton, fleeing from the scene in a dilapidated Ford touring car.

McNaughton was shot down, according to authorities, because he hesitated to "throw up his hands" when commanded to do so by two unmasked men who entered the Jack O'Neil soft drink store while McNaughton and O'Neil sat conversing at the rear of the store.

One shot was fired by one of the two desperadoes. The one shot took effect in McNaughton's heart, killing him instantly.

Following the shot the pair wheeled from the store, according to the story told the police by O'Neil, jumped into the Ford car in which another man was sitting at the wheel, and speeded away.

Three shots fired at the fleeing auto by O'Neil who rushed from the store and pursued McNaughton's slayers with a hail of bullets, none of which is thought to have taken effect.

Robbery is assumed to have been the motive for entrance of the two men into the store.

The shooting caused a reign of terror along the crowded business streets of the city. Hundreds of persons scurried for shelter as bullets from O'Neil's gun whistled along the street in the direction taken by the fleeing automobile.

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THIS IS NIGHT OF ELKS CHARITY BALL

One of the leading events of the season is the Charity Ball, which will be given this evening, in the large ball room of the Elks Club and also in Baseman's Academy. The proceeds will be used to bring cheer to the poor kiddies who might otherwise have to go hungry.

One ticket will admit the dancers to either ball and they may alternate their dances first at one place and then at the other.

Excellent music is guaranteed as the committee in charge has obtained Journey's Five Piece Orchestra for the dance at the Elks club rooms, and Baesman's regular orchestra for Baesman's Academy. As a result, the committee is anticipating a large crowd and it is hoped that this will be one of the largest and one of the most successful community affairs of its kind given since the big ball last year.

Refreshments may be obtained in the Elks dining rooms, and also in Baesman's balcony.

There will be dancing from eight-thirty o'clock until twelve.

The committee in charge of the arrangements includes Edmund Kricker, Floyd C. Fuller, William Hyland, Samuel Horchow and C. E. Grashel.

Buy Christmas Seals.

CONSTABLE FACES NEW CHARGE

ASHLAND, Ky., Dec. 12—Ashland police are searching for Jim Ward, Boyd county constable, out on bond to appear in the January term of court to answer to a charge of highway robbery.

He was charged last night with shooting Deb Justice, lineman for a telephone company, as the latter entered his own home on Twenty-ninth street.

According to the police after an investigation, Ward went to Justice's house. Justice came home and as he opened the door, Ward drew his revolver and thrust it against Justice's heart. Justice knocked the gun down and the bullet entered the thigh and came out at his knee. Justice was taken to the Ashland General hospital for treatment.

"JIM'S GIRL" SCORES BIG HIT

The Ball Stock Company took a firmer grip upon their popularity with Portsmouth people, with their presentation of Earl Carroll's New York success, "Jim's Girls." Laughter and applause was frequent. George Whittaker as "Jim" and Florence Lewin as "Yvonne," (Jim's Girl) lived up to the reputations they have made here and in addition, other members of the company are given roles with opportunities, of which they made the best. There is a charming little romance which runs through the entire play, pleasing to the most critical theater-goer and it has been some time since more laughs have been extracted from an audience at The Sun. "Jim's Girl" is excellent theater-fare and no one will regret having seen it. It is a bill which will entertain the entire family.

Commencing Thursday matinee, the Ball Company will launch Max Marcin and Roy Atwell's screaming farce comedy, entitled "Here Comes The Bride." It is advertised as whooping, whizzing, whirling, rib tickler of a thousand laughs.

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Mr. Carlyle Honored

At a recent meeting of the American Association of Base Brick Manufacturers held at West Baden, Ind., George E. Carlyle, president of the Carlyle-Labold Brick Company, of this city, was elected chairman of the Ohio Group. Mr. Carlyle is one of the veteran brick men of this region and his selection as leader of the Ohio Group, comes as a recognition of his service.

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Has Fever

Alma, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith of the Galena Pike, is recovering from an attack of fever.

TOYS POURING INTO XMAS WORKSHOP

Toys, toys and more toys are pouring into the Christmas work shop as the result of recent appeals issued by the Community Mother to help fill the empty stockings of the poor on Christmas eve.

Perhaps the recent snow storm which helped to give the holiday atmosphere and inject the spirit of Christmas into the very air, had something to do with it, but from early morning until way after closing time last night toys and requests for toys poured in and every worker of the Bureau of Community Service was kept busy.

Marting Brothers telephoned early this forenoon that the Community Mother was welcome to a stock of toys at his store which Santa Claus left with a special note saying they were among the best toys from his work shop at the North Pole, so straightway Mr. Marting thought of the many empty stockings and pioned for Boy Scouts to come and get them.

Shortly afterward, Samuel Horchow, president of the Bureau of Community Service called up and said there were a number of toys awaiting the Community Mother and there would be other toy gifts after that.

As rapidly as letters are received their wants are classified into various piles and workers of the Bureau of Community Service make a complete investigation. Then the letter is sent to the Community Mother who confers with her faithful agents, the Boy Scouts and the Girl Scouts and toys are selected as nearly as possible conforming with the expressed desires of the child.

The work shop is rapidly assuming the appearance of a gigantic toy shop. Every sort and kind of a toy is being made as good as new and in fact many of the toys are new and simply placed upon the shelf ready to be given to the little boy and girl who have written the Community Mother wishing to be remembered on Christmas eve.

Twenty-four Years Ago

At a meeting of the vestry of Christ Episcopal church the resignation of Rev. Dr. T. C. Tupper, as rector, was accepted.

Adams county papers contained extended notices of the death of Hon. Henry F. McGovney which occurred at a Cincinnati sanitarium. He was the Democratic sheriff of Adams county from 1879 to 1883 and was a candidate for United States Marshal under the second Cleveland administration. He was forty-eight years old.

C. C. Brown, the laundryman, announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for mayor.

John, son of Edward and Elizabeth McGuire, 37 West Ninth street, died. He was 19 years old.

A deal completed by which Louis Gilgen came into possession of the Biggs House barber shop formerly owned and operated by Frank White. Mr. Gilgen was regarded as one of the best barbers in the city having served his apprenticeship under that prince of barbers, the late J. E. Lydgate.

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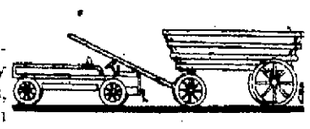

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Heavy spring, gayly painted, a special value at **10c**

Velocipede Special
Large size, heavy steel wheels, leather seat, wood grip handles. Just a few of these left **$1**

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Medium size, rubber tired wheels, spring seat, wood grip handle, were $9, for **$4.95**

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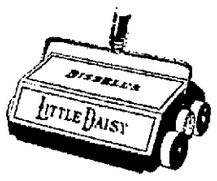
Small size with bear voice, a special value for **59c**



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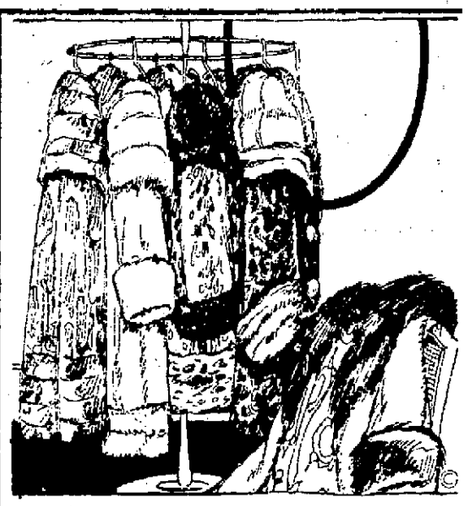

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Screen Stars Make Hit At Columbia

Manager Fred N. Tynes of the Columbia theater has scored a ten strike in bringing Bob Finlay, Mack Sennett screen comedian, and his cinema girls revue including Dorothy Bush and six pretty girls in person, who appeared at all shows Monday and who will be on the bill for today and tomorrow, matinee and night. The large crowds present thoroughly enjoyed the act put on by the clever company of artists, and Manager Tynes is to be congratulated upon booking these people. Mr. Finlay is a show in himself, clever, clean and snappy, and every number drew loud applause.

The people of Portsmouth have seen hundreds of screen stars, but this is the first time they appeared here in flesh and blood, and there is no question by Mr. Finlay and his bevy of beauties will play to packed houses during their limited engagement in this city. The entire time occupied by the troupe is filled with clean, wholesome comedy—in fact there is not a serious line in the entire act—just fun, fast and furious, with some snappy new jokes that cause peals of laughter. In addition to Mr. Finlay and his contribution to the enjoyment of patrons, Mr. Tynes has a real motion picture with George Arliss as the leading star. It is one of the best pictures of the year, and Portsmouth people will no doubt recognize Mr. Arliss, who has appeared here in person during the days when the Grand opera house was in its hey-day.

Physicians Elect Officers; Enjoy Banquet

Dr. L. G. Locke was elected president of Hempstead Academy, when the annual reunion of the Academy, one of the oldest medical organizations in the state, was held Monday afternoon and evening with a business meeting in the afternoon and the annual banquet at the Washington hotel at light.

The election of officers was held at the afternoon meeting in the library basement, the election resulting as follows:

President—L. G. Locke.

Vice President—D. C. Coleman, Lucasville.

Secretary-Treasurer—W. A. Quinn.

Trustee—Carl Braunlin.

President Board of Censors—J. G. Murfin.

Librarian—Harry Rapp.

Dr. J. S. Rardin, a member of the Academy, has been signally honored by being elected at the recent meeting of the State body at Cincinnati to the office of President of the Ohio State Medical Association.

Paul Schmidt, Carl Gilgen and Ralph Servey, furnished string music for the banquet at eight o'clock.

Dr. Joseph S. Rardin acted as toastmaster.

The following physicians were present at the banquet:

Drs. L. D. Allard, Albert Berndt, Carl G. Braunlin, Walter A. Braunlin, D. C. Coleman, R. W. DeCrowe, H. H. Morgan, James W. Fitch, William E. Gault, H. A. Green, S. S. Halderman, J. D. Jordan, L. G. Locke, T. H. McCann, S. B. McKerrihan, I. N. Martin, W. D. Micklethwaite, J. T. Murchie, J. G. Murfin, J. W. Obrist, W. A. Quinn, Joseph S. Rardin, W. A. Ray, Harold Schirrman, H. A. Schirrman, W. W. Smith, T. G. McCormick, O. D. Tatje, A. L. Test, A. A. Wikoff, T. C. Crawford, W. D. Schaefer, Oscar Micklethwaite, W. G. Cheney, Geo. Martin, H. M. Kell, George Brown, A. R. Moore, Gilbert Micklethwaite, Dr. Thomas, J. W. Daehler, C. W. Wendelken, Tunis Nunemaker, Harry Rapp, G. W. Chabot, of Peebles; A. K. Beumler of South Webster; William Meadows of Fullerton, and Dr. Hayes of North Carolina, and Virgil Fowler of The Fowler X-Ray Laboratories.

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Ben Hur Election

Officers for the ensuing year were elected at the weekly meeting of Portsmouth Court, Tribe of Ben Hur Monday night. L. E. Nourse was elected Chief. The second nomination last evening was followed by the election which resulted as follows: Chief, L. E. Nourse; Past Chief, Arthur Boren; Judge, John Buckley; Scribe, Bryan Caskey; Teacher, Daisy Youngman; Captain, Denver Lyles; Guard, Frank Young; Master of Ceremonies, Charles Parker; Keeper of Inner Gate, Leona Parker; Keeper of Outer Gate, Joseph Parker; Keeper of Tribute, Edward Francisco; Trustee, Lesky J. Janetsky.

The officers will be installed early in January. Plans were completed last night for a passing party, which will be held next week, following a short business meeting. Members are to bring gifts, the cost of which is not to exceed fifty cents.

Buy Christmas Seals.

Injuries Fatal

Special To Times

WELLSTON, Dec. 12—Charles Brown, who was injured in the wreck near Xenia when a locomotive boiler exploded, died yesterday in a hospital at Dayton. Engineer Sifford is improving and has a chance of recovery, it is reported at local B. & O. headquarters.

Buy Christmas Seals.

RIVER NEWS

The Ohio river registered a stage of 17.4 feet and falling in the Portsmouth district Tuesday.

The General Crowder passed up Tuesday morning, bound for Pittsburg and the Julius Fleischman passed up with a tow of empty barges bound for the Kanawha river.

Buy Christmas Seals.

Blair Matched

Nig Blair, of this city, has been matched to fight Kid De Marco, of Charleston, in a ten-round bout to be staged here Wednesday, December 20. Blair has gone into real training as in De Marco he will find a tough bird.

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Brother Operated Upon

Attorney Mark Crawford has received word from Helena, Montana, that his brother Ray Crawford has undergone a successful operation for appendicitis at Saint Peter's hospital of that place, and that he is now on the road to recovery.

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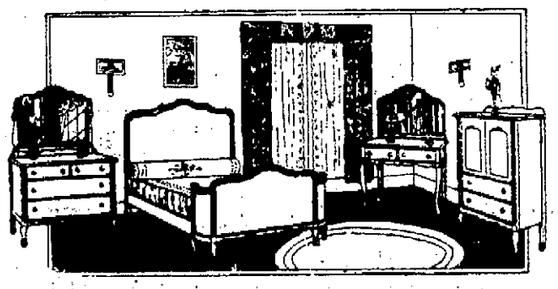

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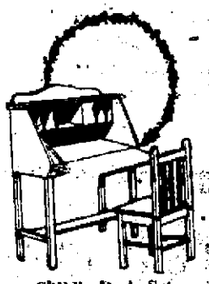

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Three Blantons Linked With Grayson Killing

ASHLAND, Dec. 12—Warnie Blanton, 23, and Earnia Blanton, 22, of Grayson, Ky., brothers of Harrison Blanton, who is in the Boyd County jail at Catlettsburg, charged with the killing of Paul Herron last Saturday at Grayson, Ky., were arrested yesterday at Catlettsburg, at noon, after warrants had been sworn out charging them with being accessories before the fact to the killing. Both men had revolvers when arrested, it is charged.

The two Blantons came to Catlettsburg yesterday in an attempt to effect the release on bond of their brother, Harrison, they said. Shortly after their arrival a man whose name was not divulged, appeared before Police Judge J. H. McConnell and asked for the warrants. Judge McConnell issued the warrants and turned them over to Officers Ulen and Combs, who arrested the brothers on Main street.

When searched, it is alleged, both boys were found to be carrying heavy revolvers.

They made no statement. Later it is understood the sheriff of Carter county, who is in Catlettsburg, will take the two men back to Grayson today.

It was reported that the men, who came to Catlettsburg yesterday to get the warrants, were unusually quiet and did not want their names known. One of the men displayed a hole in the lapel of his coat that he told police he had received in the pistol battle Saturday morning at Grayson.

It was reported early yesterday that upon the return of the two Blanton boys to Grayson an effort will be made to put them under peace bonds.

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REV. DIBERT GETS LEAVE OF ABSENCE

(Special To Times)

OAK HILL, Dec. 12—Rev. J. E. Dibert has been granted a three months' leave of absence from the local pastorate of the M. E. church, which will be spent in Columbus. Rev. and Mrs. Dibert, accompanied by Mrs. Mary Williams and daughter Mary Louise left for the Capital City Tuesday, where Mrs. Dibert will enter Protestant hospital for a course of treatment.

GRANDVIEW AVENUE CHURCH NEWS

Class No. 4, the Hustlers, meets Tuesday evening, Dec. 12, at the home of Miss Hazel Atkinson, 1820 Vinton avenue. The annual election will take place at this time. Also a passing party will take place during the evening.

Wednesday evening the mid-weekly prayer services at the church.

The class of Loyal Women of Grandview church will meet in business and social session at the home of Mrs. Archy Donnavant, Linden avenue, Thursday evening, Dec. 14th. Let every member be present at 7 o'clock.

Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock the church the children will practice on Christmas anthems.

Choir practice, 7 p. m. Friday.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our thanks to each and every one for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our husband and father, and also for the floral designs and Rev. Milliken for his consoling words.

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Plan Tax On Gasoline

COLUMBUS, O., December 12—(By the Associated Press)—Expressions favorable to the proposal of Director of Highways Herrick for a gasoline tax for highway purposes, were expected to be made by the Ohio State Grange in session here this week. While Herrick's recommendation of a tax of three cents a gallon was regarded by many grangers as excessive, sentiment, it was said, apparently favored ratification of a tax of more than one cent and less than three.

A corresponding reduction in the road tax on real estate would be recommended, should the gasoline tax receive approval, it was said.

The Ohio State Automobile Association also in session here, opposed the Herrick proposal.

Ordered To Sell System

COLUMBUS—The state public utilities commission authorized the Ohio Power Company to purchase and Thomas Newhall to sell the electric lighting and steam heating system formerly operated by the Ohio Electric Railway Company at Lima, for $1,700,000.

Col. Huston To Sell Baseball Interests

NEW YORK, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—The chief topic for discussion around New York hotels where baseball club owners were assembled for the annual meetings of the National and American Leagues today was the news that Colonel T. L. Huston was negotiating for the sale of his half interest in the New York American League Club. Colonel Huston, in making the announcement last night, said he had received several offers, including one from his partner, Colonel Jacob Ruppert.

National League magnates will hold their first formal meeting at two o'clock this afternoon, while the American League meeting is set for tomorrow. Thursday both major leagues will meet in joint session.

Richards Resigns As Wisconsin Coach

CHICAGO, Dec. 12—Following the resignation of John R. Richards as head football coach at the University of Wisconsin, it is understood athletic officials of the Badger institution will bend every effort to secure the services of Dr. John W. Wilce, a former Wisconsin player, who has had such great success at Ohio State in recent years.

Enters Hospital

George Schallenger, of Mund's Run, entered Mercy Hospital Monday for medical treatment. He has been ill for some time.

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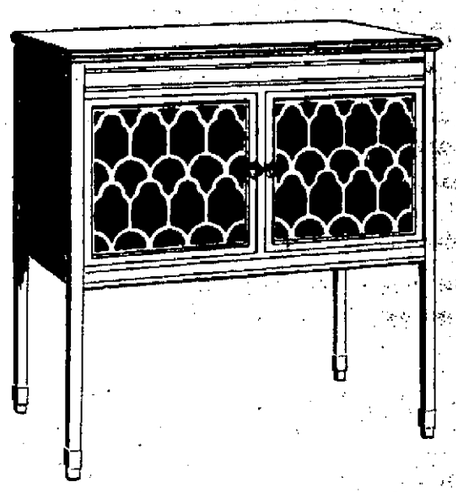

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THE GREAT CIPHER

Begin Here Today

It was evening and a group of men were seated on the porch of the Executive Mansion listening to M. JONQUELLE, greatest of French detectives, tell the story of CHAUVANNES, the explorer who was killed in Africa, and who left the record that caused everyone to believe he was mad.

"But he was not mad," exclaimed Jonquelle, turning to the chief executive. Then Jonquelle told how Chauvannes had gone into the Congo with three worthless white men, and found the precious emeralds. He had then begun to write the story which caused every reader to doubt his sanity—particularly when he wrote of the creature which entered his tent—that strange creature which he alone could see.

Go on With the Story

CHAPTER III

"IT was on the third night after the two men had departed and he was alone in the tent with the sleeping Leture, that Chauvannes saw this creature. He says it was about 3 o'clock in the morning. He had been awake through the entire night, his eyes usually closed. He does not know how he happened to open them. It was precisely 17 minutes to 3, by the watch which he wore on his wrist.

He opened his eyes precisely at the moment when the creature entered the tent—a thing it did without disturbing the flap and without making any sound whatever.

"Chauvannes says that he saw it distinctly. It paused for a moment after it had entered, remaining for some seconds quite motionless. He says that in proportion to the other parts of the creature's body, the head was enormous. It was cubical in contour. The outline was perfectly clear, but what we would call features were hardly distinguishable. The thing seemed to lack features. That was one of the distinguishing horrors of it—a head big in proportion to its body, cubical in outline and lacking features! The chest and abdomen were also big, estimating the creature by its own proportions. The limbs were long, narrow and jointed. The whole creature was of a repulsive, reddish color, and without any of the usual covering of animals with which the human race is familiar. The body seemed to be of some hard, red substance, Chauvannes said—frozen and polished flesh, after the skin had been removed, was the idea he got.

"The creature remained only a moment visible to him; then it disappeared. It seemed to Chauvannes that it disappeared merely by turning about. He was unable to see it again, although the doorway where it entered was clear in the moonlight, and there was only the grass floor of the tent."

Monsieur Jonquelle stopped here in his narrative, like one who would with a hearer to grasp the whole conception of the story before he went on. But he did not seek a comment. The man beyond him waited for him to go on, and he presently continued:

"I shall not follow the detail of all the experiences noted down by Chauvannes, and which, finally, brought him to the conclusions at which he at length arrived. He was able, after this night, to observe the creature and a number of its companions, although the man Leture, who was always with him, seems never to have observed it.

"He was also able to discover, although he does not give all the details of that discovery in the journal, that these creatures lived underground, and that one of their underground cities was very close to the camp. He had, in fact, by some sinister hazard, pitched his camp almost at the doorway of the underground habitat of these extraordinary beings—if one could call a creature of this character a being in our sense.

"Now, these are among the distinguishing incidents of Chauvannes' journal that led Your Excellency, and the Paris authorities, to believe that Chauvannes was mad. The culmination of events seemed to establish it.

"You know how the journal goes on, giving the minute details that Chauvannes observed during the week that he was alone with Leture, while the American beachcomber Dix and the Finn made their journey to the Nyanza. And you know how Chauvannes finally came to the conclusion that the seven great emeralds, which he carried sewed up in the lining of his waistcoat, were the things that set these creatures on him.

"The emeralds are in the Louvre. They are seven of the most extraordinary jewels in the world. They are larger and purer than any other known emerald. They are cut in a manner of which we have no knowledge, and the backs of them are covered with a hieroglyphic writing that antedates any language that we know, and which, so far, has baffled every effort to translate.

"At any rate, although the Frenchman Leture was with Chauvannes all the time—on the very day before the return of Dix and the Finn, the emeralds disappeared!

"Chauvannes wrote it down in detail in the journal.

THE MEN WERE CONVINCED THAT HE WAS MAD.

"He was certain, accurate, without any trace of doubt; the emeralds—no longer in his possession—were in the underground habitat of these creatures! And the opening to this habitat was close beside the very place of the camp.

"It was hardly any wonder that the men with him considered him mad, especially when one reads the closing pages of the journal. He takes, in writing, an elaborate and He thanks them in detail for their courage, their unfailing kindness to him and their devotion to the expedition. No man could have written a higher testimonial of the fidelity of his companions. He points out that his death is impending and certain. He begs that the journal may be carried to France, and he urges the French government to send out an expedition to recover the emeralds, which, he says, are concealed in the first underground dwelling of the creatures, which he has described, as though he were aware of the fact that there were other dwellings of these creatures about. The emeralds are in the one closest to the camp, and they can be recovered! He is persistent on this point, as he is insistent on the fact that his death is near and inevitable, and as he is insistent on the fidelity of the three men with him.

"And when on the following day, as Leture reported, he seized the Finn's rifle and shot himself, the men were, of course, convinced that he was mad."

There came a sudden vigor into Monsieur Jonquelle's voice.

"But he was not mad! Don't you see, Excellency, that the whole narrative of the journal was an immense cipher? Don't you see what the man was doing?"

The voice beyond Monsieur Jonquelle, in the darkness of the portico, boomed in a sudden big explective. There was the sound of a double fist crashed into the palm of a hand.

"Wonderful," he cried. "It's clever beyond words. Good God! Think of the man in that deadly position working out a clever thing like that. He knew what was going to happen to him. He knew it as soon as he picked up those jewels under the overturned stones on the Congo. He knew he would never come out alive, and he worked out the cipher in this journal to show where the emeralds were concealed, so the French authorities could recover them. And he worked out all the details to be sure that the journal would finally get into Paris. It's wonderful! It's amazing!"

He beat his leg with his big hand, thumping it as one might thump grist in a bag.

"I never dreamed that that was what the man was after. I thought he was mad!"

"Surely," replied Monsieur Jonquelle. "It was the first impression of everybody. But he was not mad. He was merely making a great cipher with all the details of this journal.

"He knew there was no chance that he would ever come out alive! But he wished to rob these assassins of the treasure which they coveted, and he wished the record of his expedition and these incomparable emeralds to reach France. He therefore prepared a journal in which was concealed, as in code, all the actual facts connected with his expedition and his assassination, and at the same time would disclose the place in which the emeralds were concealed. It would also bring the assassins to that justice which they deserved. He foresaw that Dix and the Finn would assume that Leture had stolen the emeralds. He knew that the Apache Frenchman was shrewder than these two, that he would realize their suspicion and that he would forestall it by their murder—a thing we know immediately happened after the assassination of Chauvannes on the morning of their return. This was established by the fragmentary confession of the Apache Leture, shortly before he was executed."

Monsieur Jonquelle stopped.

"I maintain, Excellency, that this whole journal is the finest example of code writing that was ever undertaken in the world."

He paused. And his voice took on a note of profound courtesy.

"You know, Excellency, what the creature was that Chauvannes described, and where the emeralds were hidden?"

Again the big voice boomed.

"Surely," it cried. "Our conception of a thing depends on the manner in which it is described and the mental state which has been prepared to receive that description. It was the ant! The red ant! And the emeralds were concealed in the antheap nearest to the point where the camp was located."

THE END

LACE FANS

Fans in black lace over metal cloth which brings out the designare shown for fall. They have a certain Spanish feeling which makes them harmonize with the high combs and lace and embroidered shawls.

Arm Fractured

Arley Keen of Sciotoville is suffering from a broken arm, which he sustained in arecent accident. The bone was re-set in Schirrman hospital Monday.

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West Virginia News Briefs

HUNTINGTON—Additions of second sections to Chesapeake and Ohio trains Nos. 101 and 106, was announced at the local Chesapeake and Ohio Railway company's office. The second sections, it was announced, are to relieve the local loads on the through east bound and west bound trains. Second section of train No. 101 will carry express cars to Ashland and the Bluefield sleeper from Huntington to Kenova for the Norfolk and Western railway. In like manner, the second section of train No. 106 will carry Ashland and Kenova express to Huntington and the Bluefield sleeper from Kenova to Huntington.

CHARLESTON—A. B. Rawn of Huntington was elected a director of the Kanawha Coal Operators' Association at the annual meeting of the association here.

HUNTINGTON—Huntington high school students have organized a mock fraternity, known as "Tappa Nu Keg."

CLARKSBURG—Charges of theft of gas from the lines of the Hope Gas company and operating a moonshine still have been preferred against Samuel Gianto, who was arrested by deputy sheriffs at the head of Lambert's Run, near here. Officers say Gianto had tapped the line of the company with an eighteen inch pipe to provide fire to cook the mash. Fifty gallons of liquor and 905 gallons of mash were set on fire by officers after they took a still from a dug-out, underneath a large hay stack where a large room had been fitted up for making liquor. As the flames caught the hay pile, flames leapt up which were visible for miles.

CHARLESTON—Former Governor MacCorkle has accepted an invitation to address the Parkersburg board of commerce in January.

CHARLESTON—The Kanawha Investment company announced it will erect an eight-story building on the corner of State and Summers streets. Several other business buildings on Summers street are under consideration. Citizens predict that Summers street soon will be Charleston's "42nd street."

HUNTINGTON — Tobacco prices on the Huntington market set a new high record for the season when the price of 35.62 cents a pound was quoted.

CHARLESTON—Charleston's public library fund raising campaign closes tomorrow. It is expected the $250,000 goal will be passed.

CHARLESTON — Daniel Boone's home, Kanawha City, will be designated by a marker or monument by the members of the Daughters of the American Revolution. It was also decided to place a marker at Sackett's ford in St. Alban's, which is of considerable interest from a revolutionary standpoint.

CHARLESTON — Chesapeake and Ohio railroad surveyors are now at work laying out the route of a new road into the Greenbrier coal field. The road will in all probability come into the main line at or near Ronceverte and will require considerable enlargement of the yard and shop facilities there. The road will be constructed within the next few months, it was learned, construction work being pushed because of the necessity for an outlet to the new coal field.

SUTTON — Harvey Leavitt was fined $300 and costs on an indictment charging him with perjury.

CHARLESTON — Game protectors of West Virginia in a conference here were instructed by officials of the state game and fish commission to enforce rigidly the law against the killing of deer during the closed season which does not expire until next October. Deer are plentiful in some sections of the state and there have been numerous reports of unlawful killing.

CHARLESTON — Five new one-way streets will be established here on or about December 15, Chief of Police Britton announced.

Lakes Found In Great Sand Dunes

ALAMOSA, COLO., December 12—(By the United Press)—Three picturesque lakes, each covering several acres, have been discovered 18 miles east of the town of Hooper, across the great sand dunes near there. The lakes were found by Paul Gilbert, forest ranger of the San Isabel national forest.

On the shores of the lakes, Gilbert found burial cairns, stone bowls, carved pedestals and arrow heads in profusion, proving some band of Indians, probably the Utes, once inhabited the region in Southwestern Colorado.

The trip can be made only with the greatest difficulty by pack, Gilbert said as around the lakes is an area of 80 miles of loose sand. The dunes rise to the height of several hundred feet and drop abruptly into precipices changing with the ever-shifting winds.

Has "Shingles"

Evan J. Jones, head of the Oak Hill bank in that village, is recovering from an attack of "shingles."

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Here is shown the ascension to the caliphate, highest religious office in the Mohammedan world, of Abd ul-Medjid. He succeeds Mohammed VI, whose precipitate flight left vacant the Turk throne and caliphate. This picture shows the new caliph (left) at the Seraglio palace, Constantinople. Refet Pasha, governor of Constantinople and Kemal's right hand man, is shown in uniform.

Brick Makers Merge

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Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Dolly—Please answer this question in the paper soon: Dolly, if a man gives a girl a Christmas present and they have a falling out later, can he take it back again? J. M. B.

He could not take it back unless the girl was willing to give it to him. When you give anyone a present, you are not supposed to take it back. However, you might give her something with a string tied to it, that you could take back, in case she "threw you over," or you might make her promise that if she did not have you she could not have the present. If you give her candy or flowers, you might as well kiss them goodbye, as you can never hope to get them back. Of course, you could eat most of the candy, but you would not get any benefit from the flowers. If you are anticipating a squabble, why give her anything?

Dear Dolly—I saw where a reader in Ft. Wayne, Indiana, wanted a recipe for Salvation Army doughnuts, and I am sending you the National recipe. TIMES READER.

Salvation Doughnuts—5 cups of flour, 2 cups of sugar, 2 teaspoonfuls baking powder, 1 saltspoon salt, 2 eggs, 1 3-4 cups milk, 1 tablespoon of lard.

Knead, slope with a doughnut cutter, drop into hot lard and in a few minutes you have it.

TIMES READER.

Dear Dolly—How many drops of water will it take to fill a barrel? And, Dolly, if a fat hog will come to $10, what will apoor one come to?

BLUE EYES.

One drop will fill a barrel if it is big enough. A poor hog will come to a mess of corn or anything else that looks like something to eat.

Dear Dolly—I am 18 years of age and have been going with a boy. I think lots of. I thought he liked me, but all at once he quit coming to see me and would not speak to me for awhile, but he speaks now. My girl friends have told me that I am too nice with him. Dolly, do you think that was the reason he quit me? I was always taught to be nice and polite with the boys, but not flirty like the girls I know. Dolly, am I right or wrong? Dolly, don't sign my real name to this letter as I don't want this boy I am going with to know that I wrote to you.

G. H.

You are right, and if the boy does not know how to appreciate a good girl, let him go with the kind who will "treat him rough" 'n everything. You are young yet, and you have plenty of time to wait until you can find a boy to your liking.

Dear Dolly—I am a girl of 15 and am writing to you for the first time. Dolly, I am going with a man of 25, but he does not seem to like me as well now as he did a while back. Dolly he comes three miles to see me, and sometimes six miles. Dolly he intended to take me to town last Sunday night, and when I called up another girl and could not get her, he got on the street car and went to see a girl in the city and left me standing there all by myself. Do you think he cares anything for me when he did a trick like that? Would you quit him if you were me?

M. T. S.

He probably thinks as much of you as he does any other little girl, but he does not take you seriously or consider you his girl. No man of 25 would think of keeping company with a girl of 15, unless he was mentally deficient.

Manila, P. I., Nov. 7, 1922—Dear Dolly—I am a constant reader of your column, and in your September 22nd issue I noticed where a young lady desired to obtain a new sailor tie, to replace the one nearly worn out. It is rather hard to get real sailor ties in any city, and because I have such a large assortment of them myself, I will send one to each young lady in Portsmouth who will write me a long, interesting letter, also enclosing one of their photographs.

Wishing to be of some use to the young ladies, I remain

PAUL A. SCHEID,
U. S. S. Black Hawk,
Asiatic Station,
Care Postmaster,
San Francisco,
Calif.

Southern Boy—Mary says she was unavoidably detained the last time, but will be there the next time.

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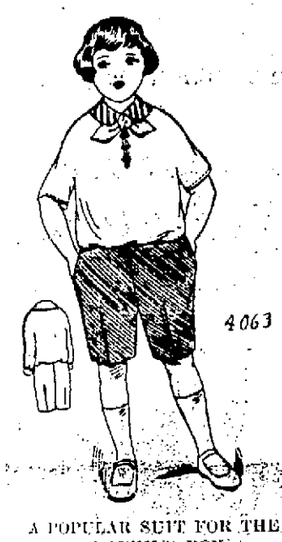

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SOCIAL NEWS

The Home Culture Club will meet at the home of Mrs. W. A. Ray, Hutchins street and Robinson avenue, Thursday evening at 7:15. All members are urged to be present.

Group Eight of the Trinity Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Walter White, 1836 Grant street, at two o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. John Chick will be the assistant hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hardin of Waller street have returned from a week-end visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Goddard of Wellston.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stanton have returned from a week-end visit to relatives in Sardinia.

Miss Georgia Elliott, an operator at the Home Telephone Company, spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Elliott, of near West Union. She also visited Postmaster and Mrs. O. C. Ryan of Peebles, Ohio.

This evening at eight o'clock, in the Hari-Gari Hall, corner of Gallia and Gay streets, a musical and mirthful entertainment will be presented by the Orpheus Male Quartette of this city. Miss Marjorie Gerlach will also give several delightful readings and a general good time is in store for all who attend.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Louis L. Thiers, who left for California several months ago, will be glad to know that they are pleasantly located at Inglewood, where they will remain indefinitely. Their address is Box 312, Inglewood, California.

The Friday Sewing club will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hayden Bush, on Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Darling and Miss Edna Martin of Jackson were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Coon of Gallia street.

Group One of Trinity Ladies' Aid Society will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. W. T. Zuhars, 942 Second street.

The Standard Bearers and Queen Esther Circle of the Franklin Avenue M. E. church will meet at the home of Frances Wendelken, 1309 McConnell avenue, Friday evening at seven o'clock. All members are urged to be present and bring a ten cent article for a passing party, and also their Christmas offering.

All collectors of the Woman's Christian Colleges of the Orient, and all persons desiring to make donations to this fund, will please bring their money to the home of Mrs. N. W. Evans, 1130 Gallia street, tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Helen Shonkwiler entertained the members of the Senior W. W. G.'s of the First Baptist church Monday evening at her home, 1632 Robinson avenue. The assistant hostesses were Miss Goldie Jones and Miss Emma Spence. The packing of the Christmas box to be sent to a mission at Indiana Harbor, was deferred until Friday evening, and those who have any articles to be added to the box should send them to the home of Mrs. Shonkwiler before that time.

Following the business session the members enjoyed a passing party, after which refreshments were served to the Misses Inez Starcher, Anna Kanouse, Goldie Jones, Emma Spence, Mildred Bradbury, Louella Kanouse, Hazel Clark, Lillian Mitchell and Mrs. Helen Shonkwiler.

Miss Utella Wood and Miss Maud Nagel were guests for the evening.

The next meeting will be with Miss Anna Kanouse, 1816 Summitt street.

Miss Jennie Mae Jones of Offnere street will go to Columbus Friday, to assume a position as secretary to the Post Adjutant at the Columbus Barracks.

Miss Jones, a graduate of P. H. S. has been employed in the Selby Shoe Factory office, and as a stenographer for Dr. J. S. Hardin, army medical officer for this district.

She has been an active worker in the Second Presbyterian Church, and the best wishes of many friends go with her.

The Main Street Kensington Club of Sciotoville will meet Wednesday evening with Mrs. Zora Todd.

Buy Christmas Seals.

All for $1

Special Christmas Offer—2 dozen five-cent packages Little Sun-Maid Raisins—$1.20 worth—all for $1.

Make two dozen kiddies happy with them. Stick them in the stockings. Let the little people hand them out to little friends as Christmas gifts.

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Had *Your* Iron Today?

Mrs. Orville Purdy of Sciotoville will entertain Thursday afternoon with a card party.

Mrs. Bert Braut of Springfield is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Orville Purdy of Sciotoville.

Mrs. Zora Todd of Sciotoville will entertain a number of friends with a card party Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Harry Vickery entertained in honor of the birthday anniversaries of Jane and Harry Vickery, at their home, 2115 Eighteenth street, Saturday afternoon. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in playing games and contests, after which delicious refreshments were served to the following guests:

Russell Burns, Phyllis Sheridan, Imogene Allen, Dorothy Allen, Geneva Coleman, Erma Newman, Earlena Pinson, Helen Pinson, Harry Vickery, Paul Newman, Aurilla Houdashell, Margaret Trimmer, Lena Widdig, Nellie Poetker, Miriam Hartlage, Frank Junior Pinson, Jane Vickery and Catherine Vickery.

Mrs. Vickery was assisted by Miss Essie Hiltenbrandt, Mrs. McCoy and Mrs. Coleman.

The Teachers' Club held its second regular meeting of the school year Monday afternoon in the High School Auditorium.

During the business session, the president, Miss Alice Maiter, appointed Miss Effie Shackelford to be a member on the Executive committee, and Miss Isabel Musser to represent the Teachers' Club at the Chamber of Commerce meetings.

A tribute to the memory of the late Miss Mary Ellen Klefer was read by Miss Kate Comins, at the conclusion of which the members of the club arose and paid silent tribute to their departed member.

An enjoyable feature of the meeting was the interesting talk given by Mr. Sam Wise, on his trip abroad. Mr. Wise's talk was very instructive and greatly appreciated by the teachers.

The next meeting of the club will be held on February sixth.

The Woman's Literary Club will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. E. Seig, 1518 Third street, with Miss Josephine Banta as the assistant hostess.

The following program will be presented:

How Can We Use Our Political Opportunities Most Effectively—Miss Emma Cramer.

A Christmas Reading—Miss Helen Dowling.

Following their annual custom, the Christian Endeavor Society of the Second Presbyterian church will sing Christmas carols at the homes of the sick of the church, and also at the various hospitals and at the Home For Aged Women on Christmas eve. The singers will meet at the church and start out about nine o'clock. They will be taken in machines to the various places they are to sing.

Mrs. Orson Oger of Franklin avenue, who returned last week from Columbus, where she went to be with her mother, Mrs. Josephine Brown, who underwent a delicate operation for the removal of a cataract, received word today that her mother had recovered nicely from the operation and she now has perfect sight, despite her advanced age of eighty-three years.

Judge Blair's Bible class of the Second Presbyterian church held an enjoyable meeting last evening in the Primary room of the church, with sixty members and fifteen visitors present. After the business session the meeting adjourned to the social hour, during which the members participated in a passing party, when many beautiful and useful gifts were exchanged. Later a delicious salad course was served by the committee in charge. These included the following hostesses: Mrs. C. M. Rousch, chairman; Mrs. Gus Kehrer, Mrs. Jacob Pyles, Jr., Mrs. Wilye Riffle, Mrs. Frank Scott, Mrs. Grant Haunahs, Mrs. John Luther, Mrs. William Ray, Mrs. Charles Mongan and Miss Kitty Jones.

The January meeting will be held at the Home For Aged Women. Mrs. E. C. Tucker will be the chairman of this meeting and the members plan to give the ladies a rare treat, in the form of a musical program.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ehret of Johnson City, Tenn., will spend the holidays among their numerous relatives and friends in Portsmouth.

Mrs. Walter Crabtree of 1726 Highland avenue will entertain the members of the Mysotis club on Friday afternoon, instead of tomorrow afternoon, as originally announced. All members are asked to make a note of the change.

Mrs. Frank J. Smith, who has been the guest of relatives in Stockton, Ill., will arrive here next week to make her future home in Portsmouth, where she was born and reared. Her husband passed away last June at his home in Stockton and his body now reposes in the mausoleum in Greenlawn.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Alta Carroll, attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carroll, of Scaman, Ohio, and Mr. Ollie Cassity, a popular young man of New Boston, which took place in Roanoke, Virginia, on November first. Mrs. Cassity, who was formerly a nurse at Hempstead Hospital, was attired in a handsome blue tricotine suit, with corresponding accessories and wore a corsage of bride's roses.

Mr. Cassity is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Cassity of Rhodes avenue, New Boston, and is at present employed with the W. A. Adams Bakery, 3751 Stanton avenue, New Boston.

The young couple will make their home for the present with the groom's parents.

Dewey Perry will entertain the Young People's Society of the First Baptist church this evening at the home of Mrs. Clinton Rose of Glenwood avenue, New Boston.

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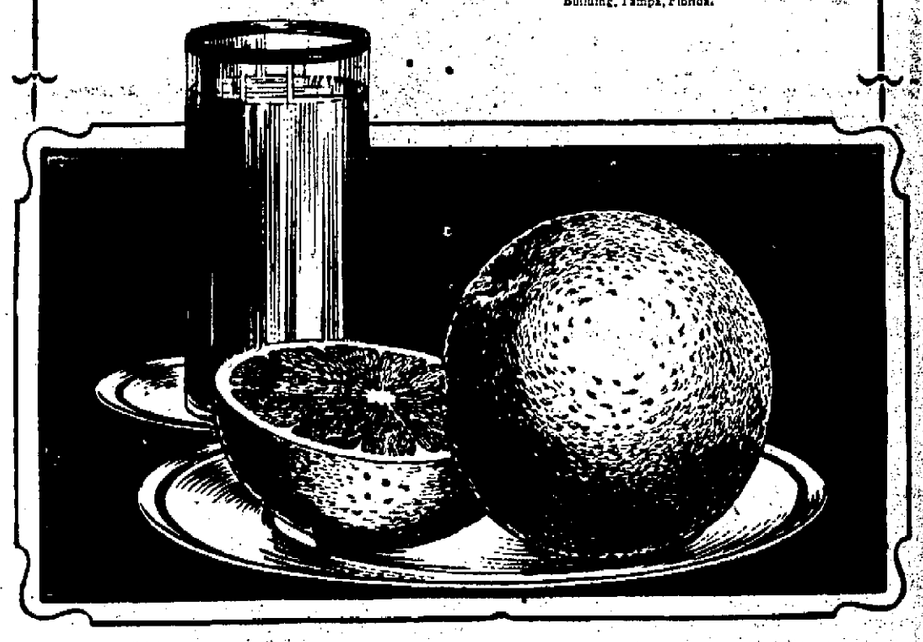

The class of young girls of the Intermediate department of the First Christian Bible School will meet in regular monthly session at the home of one of the popular members, Miss Dorothy Cline, Jackson street, this evening at 7:15 o'clock. A full attendance is desired. Each member is asked to bring a present, for the meeting will result in a passing party previous to the serving of refreshments.

Mr. Teco McMeans has returned from Arizona, where he has been enjoying an extended vacation and has accepted a position with the Excelsior Shoe company.

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A sign has been invented telling people where they can save big money on everything musical. See this sign on telephone pole at 1117 Gallia St. Bradford's Cut Rate Music Shop. Open evenings also.

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Team Followed Greasy

Greasy Neale is leaving Washington and Jefferson. His team began to resign after they whipped Lafayette at the Polo Grounds a few weeks ago and wound up by dropping three in a row to Pittsburgh, Detroit University and West Virginia.

MARRIAGE A LA MODE

IN Persia smart eddings last five days, ultra smart ones a week?

The women guests wear beautifully embroidered clothes and magnificent jewels. They sip sherbets, drink tea, smoke kalians and gossip.

But the bride sits in silence, her head bent, veil drawn over her eyes.

Slaves wait on the bridegroom and amuse him by dancing.

Adventures Of The Twins

BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

A WEEK after Dr. Snuffles paid his first visit to the Green Wizard, he came again.

"Ting-a-ling-a-ling," went the doorbell of the big pine-tree where the Wizard lived.

Nancy answered it, as she had before, Dr. Snuffles climbed the steep stairs, the Green Wizard said how-do-you-do and Nick set a chair—all exactly as it had happened before.

"Well, now, what is it this time, Dr. Snuffles?" asked the Green Wizard kindly. "What can I do for you? Didn't my magic medicine cure all your patients?"

"Yes, yes indeed!" said Dr. Snuffles. "It was wonderful! Mrs. Rabbit said her dyspepsia was completely gone. The only trouble was that now she had her appetite, the lettuce and green stuff were gone, too. The sass-patch garden is as brown as a potato. She'll have to wait until spring for a good square meal."

"Did it cure anybody else?" asked the wizard.

"Land yes! Old Mr. Mud Turtle is completely over his hay fever. Philip Frog's rheumatism just seemed to melt away. Mary Muskrat did the entire washing without once feeling her lumbago, and Billy Beaver's tooth only gave one jump. The next time, after taking your magic medicine, the ache jumped clear out of the window."

"That's just fine," answered the Green Wizard. "But it's curious, too, Dr. Snuffles. Quite curious! Do you know that magic medicine was only nice clear spring water. It was the label that did the work. When folks think they're taking magic medicine they get well lots faster. They just 'magine themselves well."

"Well I declare!" exclaimed Dr. Snuffles in amazement. "I'm going right now to tell them. They all so well I had to take down my shingle. Now I can tack it up again sure as anything. Good-day, sir!"

(To Be Continued)

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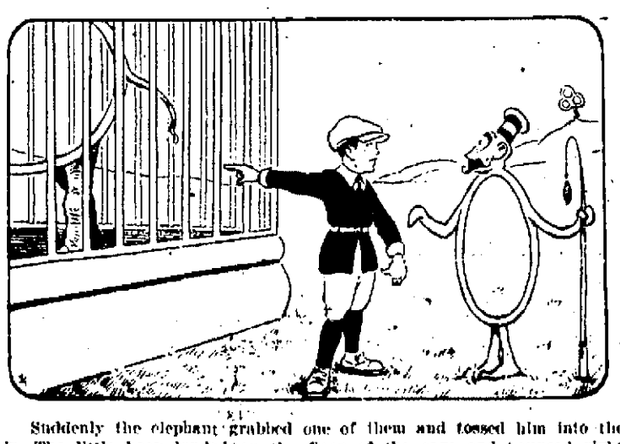
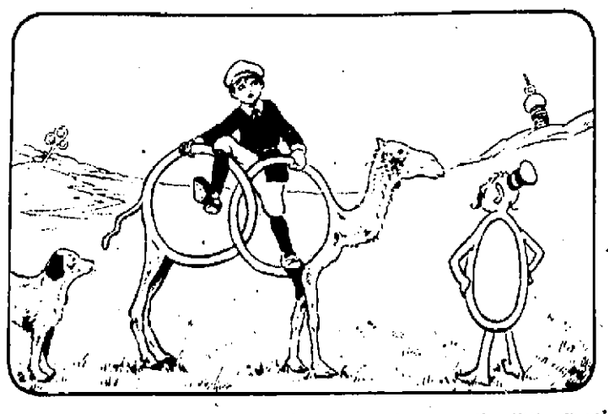
JACK DAW'S ADVENTURES

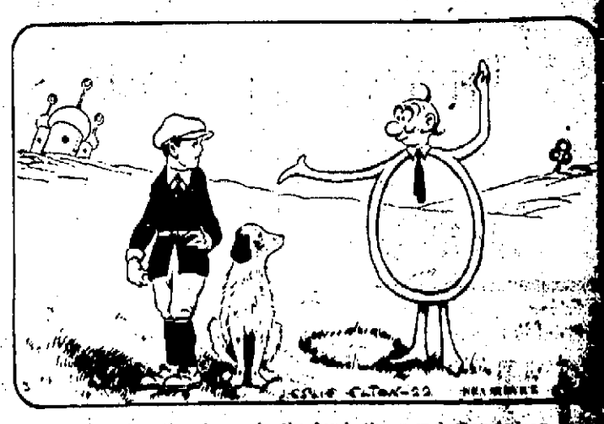
BY ELTON



Suddenly the elephant grabbed one of them and tossed him into the air. The little hoop landed on the floor of the cage and bounced right up on his feet again. "Why, they don't seem to mind being thrown around," said Jack. "No" replied the trainer, "they never mind what happens."



"You see," he continued, "that's because they are the little Don't-Give-a-Hoops, and nothing ever bothers them." Then Jack saw the Hoop-land camel coming down the road. He was told to climb on its back so he could rest up and ride back to the Honorable Heeza Hoop's house.



Unlike all the other hoops in the land, the camel traveled on instead of rolling along. This was because he was made of two hoops instead of one, and he never could keep the two rolling together. "Well," said Heeza Hoop, when they arrived, "you must prepare to [illegible] (Continued.)

POLICE NEWS

[illegible] W. Carter, admitted guilt of [illegible] and disorderly conduct [illegible] court Monday and he [illegible] fined a fine of $10 and costs; Jesse Cline, William Pennington, [illegible] Smith and R. Jamkowski were [illegible] the usual $11.20 each for intoxi-[illegible]

[illegible] W. [illegible], 16, a youth arrested [illegible] by the police Sunday [illegible] ordered sent to the Juvenile [illegible]t by reason of his age.

Lost $1,000

[illegible]where on Moulton St., between [illegible] and Bradford's Cut Rate [illegible] Shop, however, I "FOUND" [illegible] I went after, the cheapest place [illegible] musical goods.

J. D. INVESTIGATOR.
—Advertisement 12-2t

I. O. O. F. Meeting

[illegible]our candidates received the sec- [illegible] degree at the weekly meeting of [illegible]to Lodge No. 31 I. O. O. F. Mon- [illegible] night. The candidates were Carl [illegible]d, Earl Porter, C. M. Mullins and [illegible]E. Gordon.

[illegible] invitation from Sciotoville the [illegible]ree team will go to that village [illegible]urday night to put on degree [illegible] on a class of eleven who are [illegible] accepted into membership into [illegible] Sciotoville lodge.

[illegible]embers of Orient Encampment [illegible]rted that they had visited Iron- [illegible] last Friday night and had wit- [illegible]ed the conferring of the Royal [illegible] degree on four candidates. [illegible]nton Militant will meet Thurs- [illegible] evening in I. O. O. F. hall and [illegible] this session officers for the new [illegible] will be elected.

Hold Up In Park

[illegible]HLAND, Ky., Dec. 12—The fifth [illegible] series of hold-ups that have been [illegible]ed in this city during the last [illegible]th by a gang corresponding the [illegible] way, to the descriptions given [illegible] the various victims, was pulled [illegible] last night.

[illegible]roy Keffer, 816 Seventeenth [illegible]et and E. B. Walker were walk- [illegible] through Central Park about 6:30 [illegible] night when three men, two being [illegible]ked, stepped out and held them [illegible] at the point of guns. The bandits [illegible] the valuables of the two men [illegible] their overcoats. Walker grabbed [illegible] overcoat from the nearest thug [illegible] ran. The three followed but were [illegible]ble to catch up with the fleeing [illegible]lander. The two men lost only [illegible]w dollars.

Manly Church News

[illegible]he Ladies' Aid Society met [illegible] afternoon at the home of [illegible] Mattie Jordon, 1411 McConnell [illegible]ue. The assisting hostesses were [illegible] James Hemphill, Mrs. Geo. [illegible]son and Mrs. Harry Jordon.

[illegible]he Queen Esthers and Standard [illegible]rers will hold their monthly meet [illegible] at the home of Verla Burns on [illegible]teenth street, this evening. [illegible]assing party will be given and a [illegible]istmas offering taken.

[illegible]iberty Class will hold its regular [illegible]thly meeting this evening with [illegible] Edward Tumbleson, 2014 Eigh- [illegible]th street. She will be assisted [illegible] Mrs. John Turner, Mrs. H. M. [illegible]echer, Mrs. C. E. Ward, Mrs. A. [illegible] Whiteley and Miss Mary Tumble- [illegible] Each one is requested to bring [illegible]ething valued at 25 cents, as this [illegible] be passing party.

[illegible]he Gleaners class will hold a [illegible]sing party at the home of Mrs. [illegible]oney, 2234 Vinton avenue, Friday [illegible]ning at 7:30.

[illegible]he King's Heralds and Home [illegible]rds will hold their Christmas [illegible]ting next Saturday at 2:00 o'clock [illegible] the home of Avanel and Frank [illegible]ley at 1413 Eleventh street. Let [illegible]y member have a Christmas Bible [illegible]se to respond to the roll call and [illegible]g a 10 cent present for the pass- [illegible] party.

You Tell 'Em

[illegible] was Iowa's tough luck that Yale [illegible]'t amount to much this year. Had [illegible]e whipped Princeton and Harvard, [illegible] Iowa would have stood out from [illegible] best in the East like a clean col- [illegible] in Congress.

[illegible]er Laborers

[illegible]red Baker has gone to Louisville [illegible] recruit laborers for the Whitaker- [illegible]ssner Company, who are hiring [illegible]y additional workmen, as the big [illegible]nt is working steadily in all de- [illegible]tments.

[illegible] Doing Well

[illegible]ussell C. Schropp, of Los An- [illegible]s, and who formerly resided here, [illegible] managing one of the Seeling chain [illegible] grocery stores in that city and is [illegible]g well.

[illegible]ing Leather

[illegible]ames W. Bannon is in the East, [illegible]ere he is buying leather for the [illegible]celsior Shoe Company.

[illegible]t Piketon

[illegible]he Beaver high school basketball [illegible] defeated the Piketon high school [illegible] 10 to 5 when they met Friday [illegible]t.

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There is also a loosening of purse strings, but then who cares. Nobody begrudges money at Christmas time when everybody is happy from making others happy. Money comes and goes and you say goodbye to it with fewer regrets at Christmas. The pleasure is in buying and giving. Thousands have already begun to enjoy their Christmas by coming to Andersons', the Great Christmas Home of the Community, and purchasing gift things for their friends. Let your Christmas start tomorrow by your making a visit to this store.

Now, If Ever, This Old World Needs Christmas

Look where we may, no one has ever found another way around, by trying to avoid the age old principles of "Peace on earth, good will toward men." Men, organizations and nations have gritted their teeth and tried "might" time and again, only to lose when they have won. Unselfishness, Charity, Remembrance, Thoughtfulness and Friendship are Christmas properties in which men and communities and nations need to be schooled, and once a year, at Christmas time, is none too frequent. So let the Christmas Spirit have sway in your heart and in so doing you will profit, for except you give you cannot receive.

Christmas Shoppers Revel In This Sale Of Dresses

Scores of fine dresses hung on racks in our ready-to-wear section where you can easily examine dozens in a minute and thus not necessarily curtail your other gift shopping. And what a wonder lot to choose from. Variety enough to please the crankiest so of course you can be suited.

The values range from $15 to $50 but the prices trail along in the rear of those figures for they are marked at $10.95, $15.95, $24.50 to $39.50. Enough saving on any dress to please the thriftiest shopper.

Better look these over before they get too much picked over.

Fine Polo Coats For $15

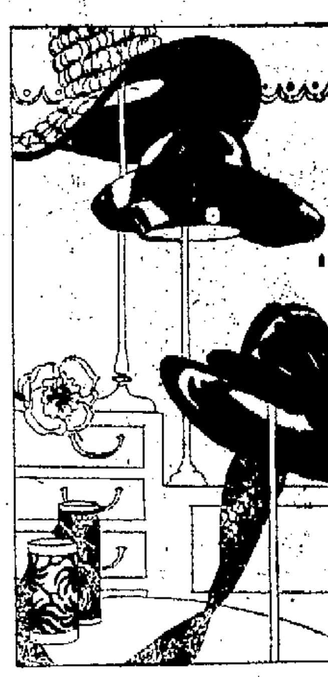
Our December Sale of Women's Wear adds considerable to the sensible side of Christmas shopping, and nowhere is it more pronounced than in this sale of Polo Coats at $15. They're usual $25 values. All wool, plaid backs, colors Gray, Tan and Brown, fine soft cloths; warm and practical for school, college, business and street wear.

SPECIAL PRICE $15.

Great Values In Coats $32.50 And Up

Our Coat section offers a great showing of popular coats in the desirable cloths, self or fur trimmed in values to $150 at $32.50, $49.50, $59.50 to $95.

Women's Hat Prices At Low Ebb



Dad is liable to say, "Well it's a good thing something is cheap at Christmas time," but you know, honestly, Dad's bark at Christmas time is worse than his bite, for really any Dad likes to shell out at Christmas, but he just wants full credit that's all. So just pat him on the cheek and smile and say it's great to have a "Dad" or "Hubby" like him, and—well, Andersons' Store opens at 8 o'clock every morning. But we started to talk about hats. Special groups of trimmed hats worth from $5 to $12 of anybody's money are now grouped in three special lots at $3, $5 and $7.50. That's cheap, isn't it?

Golconda Diamonds

Jewelry—for Xmas Gifts

Don't fail to visit this special Factory Sale of these pure crystal white cut stones. We show them in plain and elaborate patterns, in rings, brooches, pendants, ear rings, lavallieres and many other articles in jewelry at 50c to $5.00. All guaranteed.

"Don't The Store Look Christmassy?"

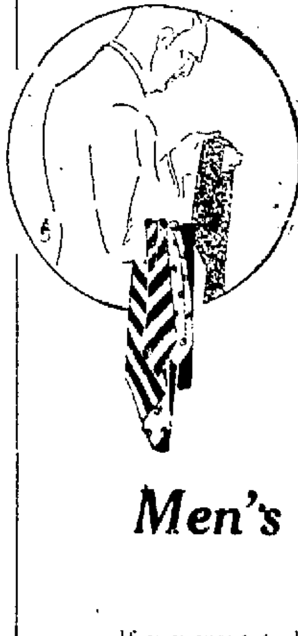
We hear this every day. And why not with several hundred dollars' worth of new Christmas decorations to add to the certainty that Andersons' is THE Christmas Store.

Fine Fur Chokers

(Not Checkers)

We put those last two words in parenthesis for the printers' special benefit because the last time we advertised fur chokers they made it "Fur Checkers" and in big black type too. Wasn't that a "faux pas", as we used to say in Lucasville, and right in Andersons' ad too. But we'll say right here for the benefit of the Times printers or anybody else that these FUR CHOKERS make ideal gifts for any woman who has a neck, for they wear them right around the neck. We've a small hunch that the Times ad setter who made that mistake did it on purpose to disguise the ad so his wife wouldn't know we had such fine FUR CHOKERS but if so, we win, for we are saying right out loud now that these chokers of Squirrel, Mink, Fox and Stone Martin are made from very choice pelts and at $16.50 and up you couldn't get a finer Christmas present for friend wife.

You Can "Tie" A Man All You Want To At Christmas Time And He Wont Kick



That is, providing you use the right kind of ties,—Andersons' ties for instance. We have the new Cheney ties in cut silk, late shapes and patterns, reversible, and strictly up to now. $1 to $2.50.

KNIT TIES are as popular as ever. Hundreds of patterns to choose from at 50c to $3.

ALL CHRISTMAS TIES PUT UP IN NEAT CHRISTMAS BOXES.

MEN'S HALF HOSE, silk and wool, striped styles and with clox at 85c to $2.

MEN'S WOOL MIXED HALF HOSE, heather shades at 65c.

MEN'S FINE SILK SOX, striped and plain, 75c to $2.50.

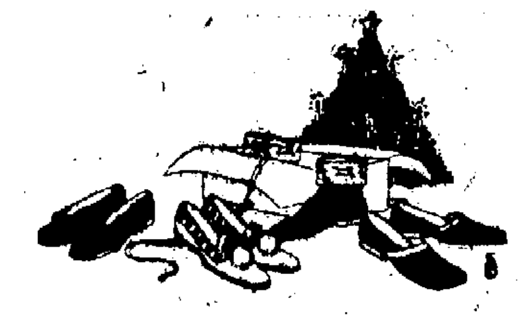
Men's Sport Coats, Always Appreciated

If you want to be a real sport, just give him a sport coat. Just the thing for Dad, Hubby or the Boy. Heather mixed sport coats, late models, special $3.95.

SPORT COATS in the Thermo make, two or four pockets, $5.50 and $5.95.

TOM WYE SPORT COATS, new models, brown and tan, combination knit at $9.50.

Slippers Are Ideal Gifts, You Know



There are always some folks to whom nothing but slippers seem right to give. They are in every relationship, and the thing to do is obviously to just give them slippers. We know that every Christmas thousands must be supplied with pretty and serviceable slippers so we prepare accordingly. We build our showing around the famous Daniel Green make and that speaks volumes.

Women's Dainty Slippers

THE NEW COMFY HIT of the season is made of quilted satin with padded soles and they come in all good shades. My, but they are pretty. $2 and $2.25.

HILO SLIPPERS, collars in contrasting colors, six different shades, also at $2 and $2.25.

COMFY SLIPPERS with pom-pom ribbon trim trimmings at $1.50.

BLACK KID BOUDOIR SLIPPERS, soft turn soles at $2.35.

Men's House Slippers

We are serving our patrons from the largest stock of men's slippers this store has ever carried.

LEATHER SLIPPERS for the home in fine soft brown kid, Everett style at $2.75 and $3.50. Brown and black kid slippers, opera style at $3 and $3.50. Men's brown kid nullifiers or Fausts, leather lined at $4.85. Fine brown Cavaliers, very nifty, at $6.75.

CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS in comfys and in new patterns at 90c to $2.

Four extra National Cash Registers, installed in the main aisle, street floor, is helping a lot toward quicker service.

The Anderson Bros Co.
COR. CHILLICOTHE & THIRD STS.

Scores of extra help and an extra delivery truck helps to maintain Andersons' customary store service.

BRINGING UP FATHER

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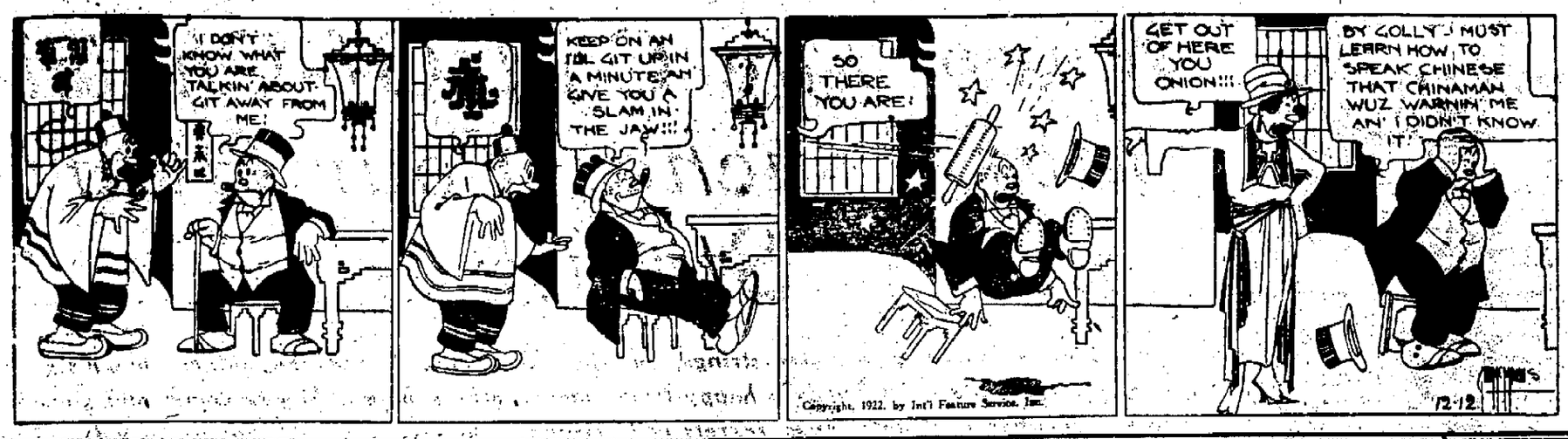

TO BUILD NEW COURT HOUSE ON PRESENT SITE

Following its organization meeting Monday afternoon the Court House Building Commission unanimously voted to erect the new temple of justice upon the site of the present antiquated county building at Sixth and Court streets.

The reason for this decision is explained in a statement issued by Chairman Henry T. Bannon following the meeting yesterday afternoon. The statement says:

General Code 5638 provides that the County Commissioners may not expend to exceed $15,000.00 for the purchase of a Court House site, unless the policy of such purchase be submitted to the electors. Any site in Portsmouth would cost far in excess of such sum. The policy of such purchase has not been submitted to the electors. The proposal adopted by the electors was to issue bonds to erect a new Court House, and the authority of the Commission is limited to that purpose.

It was further stated that the Commission had determined to allow the old building to stand in order to make it available for use until the new one is constructed and ready for use.

In perfecting its organization the Commission chose Henry T. Bannon as chairman; Commissioner Joseph Appel, vice chairman, and Auditor Roy Coburn as secretary.

The Commission fixed the first and third Monday in each month as its regular meeting days and its sessions will be held in the office of Chairman Bannon in the First National Bank Building.

CARD OF THANKS

A card of thanks to the many friends and relatives for their kindness during sickness and death of our dear mother, Mrs. Nancy Stevenson and to Rev. Bugby and Undertaker Al Windel for services rendered and floral offerings.

HER BEREAVED CHILDREN

—Advertisement 212-1t

Terminal Church News

The Ladies' Aid Society will meet Wednesday afternoon for work. All ladies invited.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. We were glad to have an increased attendance last week. Let us keep growing.

All those who are willing to take part in the Christmas pageant are asked to come to the church Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock for assignments. We need a large number to make it a success. All young people and all boys and girls of twelve years of age are invited to take a part.

All boys and girls who are going to speak pieces, sing or have dialogues, will meet at the church Wednesday evening after school for practice. Let everyone be present.

The Ladies' Aid Society will give a Christmas sale and bazaar Thursday, December 21st, in the church basement. Baked goods, fancy work and many other things will be on sale. The bazaar will last all afternoon and evening. Supper will be served beginning at 5 o'clock. Those who will donate baked goods or fancy work should leave them with Mrs. Scott or Mrs. Carter. Everyone should help the ladies to make this a big success.

Bazaar Friday

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Federated Crafts will hold a bazaar at Gus Esares' lunch room at East Portsmouth all day Friday. All kinds of plain and fancy sewing and hand embroidered work will be for sale.

Buy Christmas Seals.

Ministers Endorse Evangelistic Meeting

At a meeting of the Portsmouth Ministerial Association this morning a resolution was passed endorsing the Union Evangelistic Meetings that will be held from February 22 to March 18, in J. F. Taylor's new garage on Gallia street.

These meetings will be held by Rev. George Wood Anderson and his co-workers, Chorister Jenkins and Pianist Ackley. The ministers of the city are to co-operate in making these meetings some of the biggest ever held here.

Hit By Auto

Charles Mitchell, of Union Mills, is recovering from injuries he suffered when he was knocked down by an automobile, the driver failing to stop his car. Mr. Mitchell was bruised about the arms and back, but no bones were broken.

Returns Home

Jacob Groves has returned to his home in Hillsboro after a visit to relatives in Lucasville.

SOCIETY

What promises to be an enjoyable feature of the "All B'gelow night" tomorrow evening at Bigelow church will be a lecture on "Hunting Game in the West," by Hon. Henry T. Bannon. The lecture will be illustrated by more than one hundred interesting views. The meeting will open at five o'clock and a supper will be served at six o'clock. The lecture will follow immediately after the prayer service, which opens at 7:45 o'clock.

Nine members attended the meeting of the Whatsoever Guild of All Saints' church at the home of Mrs. Thomas Ashpaw, 804 John street. During the business session a report on the sale of Christmas cards and calendars was made and later a social hour and refreshments were enjoyed.

The next meeting will be held after Christmas, the time and place to be announced later.

WARD OFF INFLUENZA
FATHER JOHN'S MEDICINE
GIVES STRENGTH

The Misses Helen and Genevieve Dupre entertained the members of the Young Women's Home Circle of Trinity M. E. Church, last evening at their home, 1322 Park avenue.

An unusually interesting program was presented. Miss Martha Huffman was the devotional leader. Mrs. Harry Mathiot gave a report of the Missionary convention, held at the New King's Avenue M. E. church in Columbus, early in November.

Sections from famous artists, along the line of study, to be taken up this year, were given by Mrs. J. M. Stockham, and Miss Bessie Mick rendered several vocal selections. Instead of the annual passing party, a donation toward several necessary articles was made to be given Mrs. Dora Bridges for her missionary work.

At the close of the meeting the hostesses served dainty refreshments.

The assistant hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Anna Arbaugh, Mrs. Nell Pyles, Mrs. Charles Krick and Miss Winnie Stewart.

Miss Gertrude Hood, a student at Ohio Wesleyan University, is ill with a severe cold at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hood, 1144 Third street.

C. D. Coeman of Cleveland has returned to his home after a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Patton, 1941 Hutchins street.

Mrs. Ernest Eynon of 1944 Twenty-first street, who has been very ill several days, is slightly improved.

Miss Anna Smith, charming young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith of Powellsville, and Mr. Leonard Groce, son of Mrs. William Davis of Gallia avenue, New Boston, surprised their friends by slipping up to Catlettsburg, Ky., on Saturday, December ninth, where they were quietly married in the parsonage of the First Christian church. Mr. Groce is employed in the sheet mills department of the Whitaker-Glessner company. They will make their home for the present with his mother.

Miss Gertrude Kerns, of Robinson avenue, will spend the Christmas holidays with homefolks in Oak Hill.

Local friends will be pleased to learn that Miss Mary Carlyle of Second street, who is in Roswell, N. M., for her health, is much improved. Miss Carlyle and her mother, Mrs. G. E. Carlyle, who is with her, are located at the Gilder Hotel. Mr. Carlyle will leave Monday to join them for the Christmas holidays.

Buy Christmas Seals.

Second Operation

William Mitchell, a patient in Hempstead Hospital is recovering from the second operation he submitted to in ten days. He resides in Nauvoo, West Side.

The Story of GOITRE
in plain language and told in a way that every one can understand,
is the title of a new booklet just published.
The analysis of the subject answers many perplexing questions concerning this disease, among which are,
When is Goitre?
How may it be recognized in early stages?
What periods in life does it most frequently appear?
How does it affect the blood and Ductless Glands?
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Soap, Ointment, Talcum 25c. everywhere. For sample address: Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. X, Malden, Mass.

6 PER CENT STOCK
We are now prepared to issue this 6 per cent STOCK in any amount desired. An investment in this SAFE and SOUND STOCK for the NEW YEAR is making the RIGHT KIND of a start. It is also a good time to open a SAVINGS ACCOUNT.
Assets Over Two and a Quarter Million Dollars
The Citizens Savings and Loan Association Company
Assets $2,200,000.00
6 Per Cent For 32 Years. Why Take Less?
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THE HUTCHINS & HAMM CO.
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Circuit Court Convenes At Catlettsburg

Judge A. M. J. Cochran opened a session of circuit court in Catlettsburg Monday and many cases will come up for final disposition. As usual most of the prisoners will face liquor charges. A great many of the offenders were nabbed in Lewis and Greenup counties.

Engineers Declare Dividend

CLEVELAND.—Directors of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers' Co-operative National Bank voted to give share holders a dividend of four per cent and depositors a dividend of one-half of one per cent on earnings for the past six months.

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Perhaps you have shopped all season without finding just the coat you want. We believe that you are sure to find that coat in this lot. We've never seen prettier styles or richer materials. If possible come tomorrow for we're sure these garments will find new owners quickly at these remarkably low prices.
The Fashion GALLIA & GAY

A Diamond
FOR CHRISTMAS
If you are thinking of a Diamond for Christmas, think of our store at 829 Gallia St. Here you will find the most complete assortment of diamond rings to be seen in this vicinity. A special effort has been made this fall to mount up all blue white diamonds into new modern snappy mountings, that will appeal to you because they are new and different.
FINE BLUE WHITE DIAMONDS
The quality we specialize on can be bought as little as $25.00 up to $1,000.00. Exceptional values at $50.00, $75.00 and $125.00. Set in platinum and 18 karat white gold modern mountings.
Our diamonds are bought in quantity direct from importers, which enables us to offer you diamonds of real blue white Wesselton quality for less than we offer them today. Don't be fooled by glaring statements about fine quality at cut prices so often read of in magazine advertisements. Our reputation of over 50 years of fair dealing in Portsmouth is a guarantee that our quality and prices are right.
Select your diamond this week, make a small payment and we will lay it aside until later.
GIFTS THAT LAST
Otto Zoellner & Bro.
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So called "stupidity" on the part of school children is often due to eye strain. If your child is backward, let us examine its eyes at once — don't wait. "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."
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They have extra points of refinement and quality. He is going to think even more of them after he receives a lot of compliments from the boys—and he will think they're fine.
Pongee Shirts in tan and white, collar attached ... $2
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Silk striped Madras Shirts, collar attached $2.50
Poplin Shirts in white collar attached ... $3
Skibo Shirts, white Oxford and Soisette webbing cloth, collar attached. Priced at ... $3.50
Boys' Shirts in stripes, white and tan, collar attached
$1, $1.35, $1.50, $2
Percale Shirts in very new patterns, stripes and checks ... $1.50
Percale Shirts in E. and M. make, every shirt guaranteed ... $2
Printed Madras Shirts ... $2.50
Genuine Woven Madras Shirts and they are beauties at ... $3
Silk Striped Madras, real cloths and real shirts ... $4
Genuine imported English broad cloth, white and tan at ... $5
Fiber Silk Shirts in new stripes and checks ... $5
Tan Silk Pongee Shirts, collar attached ... $6
An assortment of Silk Shirts of rare beauty
$7.50, $8, $8.50
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The fact that it is a sensible gift doesn't mean that it can be a little out of the ordinary. The exceptional qualities and textures in our assortments enable you to choose "something finer."
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WANTED

WANTED—To buy second hand three quarter size violin. Call 2033-L. 10-3t

WANTED—Highest price paid for used furniture. Phone Boston 71. 11-22-tf

WANTED—Men. Wood choppers. We can place about 40 men with families. Experienced wood choppers, good wages, good camps, good timber. Come to Gaylord, Mich., via M. C., or write for particulars. The Michigan Iron & Chemical Co., Gaylord, Mich. 12-1-14t

WANTED—To trade complete radio set for motorcycle. Will demonstrate. Phone 531-R. 8-6t

WANTED—To rent garage near N. & W. terminals. Phone 1828-Y. 12-3t

WANTED — Woman for general housework. High wages. No laundry. 1901 Franklin. Phone 1326. 12-2t

WANTED—First class bread man with union card. Portsmouth Bake-Right Baking Co., 1901 8th St. 12-2t

WANTED—To buy used second hand furniture, stoves, clothing and shoes. De Berrienne Second Hand Store, 535 2d St. Phone 995. 12-6t

WANTED—2 good experienced dairymen. Phone 845-X. 12-3t

WANTED—Middle aged lady for housework. 633 3rd. 12-5t

WANTED—Short order cook for suppers. Also a girl for kitchen work. Apply Elks' Dining Room. 12-2t

WANTED—Two gentlemen boarders. 1203 Gay. Phone 1654-L. 11-2t

WANTED — Woman to clean small apartment twice weekly. Phone 2844-L. 12-3t

WANTED—Men's shoes to half sole, $1.00 per pair; Ladies', 75c. Workmanship and material guaranteed. Work called for and delivered. Ninth and Waller. Banfield Bros. Phone 1412-Y. 12-6t

WANTED—Lady who borrowed umbrella from carpenter at Hauck residence on Offnere St. last Thursday to return same at once. 12-1t

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WANTED—2 girl boarders. Phone 1953-L. 12-9-tf

WANTED—Moving, $2 load. Phone 2267. John Q. Arthurs. 3-28-tf

WANTED—Parties having rooms for rent or parties desiring boarders, please write A. S. Willard, General Foreman, N. & W. Railway, Portsmouth, Ohio. 10-14-tf

WANTED—Used brick, lumber, and all kinds of building material. Will pay highest cash prices. C. W. G. Hannah. Phone 175. 7-6t

WANTED—Good colored housekeeper. Inquire 1905 Grandview. 12-7-tf

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WANTED Man over 25 years of age for responsible position; 10-12 a. m., 2-5 p. m. Mr. Toms. 118 Masonic Temple Bldg. 11-3t

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WANTED—Woman to do ironing at Children's Home; one who can go home at night preferred. 11-3t

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 721 Chillicothe. 11-2t

WANTED—Girl to do housework mornings. Phone 915-R. 718 Sixth. 11-2t

WANTED—White or colored girl for light housework. Off on Saturday afternoon and Sunday. Good wages. 2217 Gallia. 11-3t

WANTED—To rent small truck farm. Phone 1370-X. 11-3t

WANTED—Good cook. 1901 Franklin. Phone 1326. 11-2t

WANTED—Boy to drive truck. Call 611 Offnere St. 12-1t

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 1312 2nd St. 12-3t

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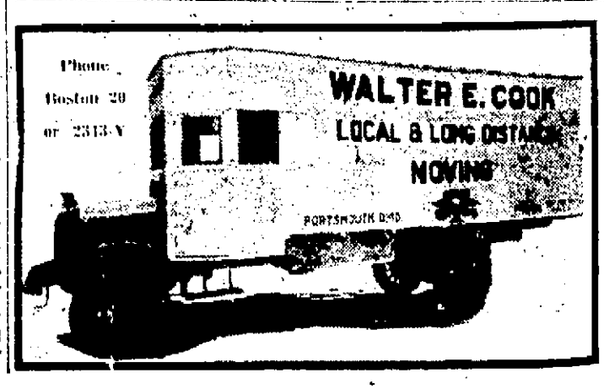

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PRICE $9200.00

No. 2

Just Received—A very elaborate 6 room bungalow on Hilltop, living room extends across the front, dining room, kitchen, pantry, den or bed room on first floor. Large bath room complete, two bed rooms, linen closet, large coat closet and attic on second floor, equipped with electricity, Far Quar furnace, large basement, new garage, cement floor, fine lot. Owners leaving the city.

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Modern 6 room two story, on Micklethwait Road just newly built, never occupied, living room extends across the front, dining room, kitchen on first floor, 3 bed rooms and complete bath on second floor, basement under entire home, steam furnace, electricity throughout, hardwood floors down stairs, tapestry mantel, French doors, big closets upstairs, fine bath room, built in tub, lot 40 feet front, side driveway, garage, street assessment paid, sewer connected. It is cheaper to buy this home than rent. Terms $500 cash, remainder monthly payments.

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No. 4

Newly built 6 room two story on Chillicothe street, near Eighteenth, just about completed, frame on first floor, Kelly Stone stucco on second floor, slate roof, storm sheeted, stucco garage, side driveway, living room extends across the front, dining room, kitchen, pantry on first floor, front and rear porch, plastered, basement under entire home, combination gas and coal furnace, laundry tubs in basement, commode in basement, 3 bed rooms and bath on second floor, tiled walls, tiled floor in bath room, tiled walls in kitchen and pantry, one piece sink, tapestry mantel, French doors, hardwood floors and finish downstairs, electricity throughout, large attic. Fine big lot. This is a splendid buy for a new home.

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Modern 7 room two story on Grandview avenue, storm sheeted, slate roof, reception hall, living room, dining room, kitchen, pantry on first floor, 3 bed rooms, complete btah, open hall and large trunk room up stairs, electricity, hardwood floors, basement, attic, one piece enameled sink. This is a corner lot and will make you a fine home.

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Fine big 8 room two story home on Seventeenth street, reception hall, living room, dining room, kitchen, pantry down stairs, 4 bed rooms and bath complete up stairs, wired for electricity, new fixtures, rooms all newly papered, nice basement, side driveway, new double garage. One of the best locations on the Hilltop.

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No. 8

8 room two story home on Findlay street near Ninth, 3 rooms upstairs, rents for $40.00 per month, 5 rooms on first floor, complete new bath upstairs. This is a money making proposition for you.

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No. 9

Modern 6 room cottage, on Grimes avenue, one of the best down-town locations in the city, complete bath, two bed rooms, electricity, new fixtures, one piece sink, gas, hot and cold water, cellar, fine big cement porch, slate roof, fine lot, large barn, above the floods, in a fine neighborhood.

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No. 10

Nice 5 room cottage on Summitt street near Seventeenth, reception hall, complete bath, gas and electricity, fine basement, hall, two bed rooms, pantry, sliding doors, front and rear porches, lot 36 1-2 feet front, 130 feet deep, connected to sanitary sewer, garage, cement floor.

PRICE $6250.00

No. 11

Modern 5 room bungalow cottage on the Hill, reception hall, hardwood floors, French doors, gas and electricity, fine big living room, dining room, kitchen and pantry, two bed rooms, complete bath, front and rear porch, fine big basement. Lot 40 feet front. Near main car line.

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No. 12

One of the prettiest 5 room cottages on Grandview avenue, above Seventeenth street, large living room, dining room and kitchen, large kitchenette, complete bath room between the two bed rooms, equipped with electricity, new fixtures, all newly papered, metal roof, fine lot, vacant, ready to move into.

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No 13

A dandy 5 room two story on Seventeenth street above Waller, living room, dining room, kitchen, pantry on first floor, 2 bed rooms, complete bath on second floor, electricity for lights, one piece sink, basement, large closet, connected to sewer.

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No. 14

Just received: 6 room bungalow Gallia street, Sciotoville, gas, bath room, one bed room down stairs, two bed rooms, hall and bath room up stairs, built-in cabinet in kitchen, large one piece sink, basement under entire house, lot42 feet front, 120 feet deep, fine location.

PRICE $5800.00

No. 15

5 room cottage above Sciotoville on Gallia Pike, bath room, but no bath, gas, cellar, cistern, garage, lot 75 feet front, 126 feet deep. Fine location.

PRICE $5250.00

No 16

A very attractive 4 room cottage on Twelfth near Franklin, complete bath and electricity, newly papered and painted throughout, fine cellar, cistern, garage, paved alley, street assessment paid, sewer connected One of the best locations in the city. Property is now vacant. Possession obtained at once.

PRICE $5200.00

No. 17

Newly built 6 room two story home on Seventeenth St. near Chillicothe street, complete bath and electricity, basement under entire home, reception hall, 3 bed rooms, side drive, garage, lot 137 feet front, sewer connected, only two more street assessments.

PRICE $5200.00

No. 18

Newly built 5 room cottage Mabert Road, complete bath, reception hall, 2 bed rooms, electricity, new fixtures, good garage, electricity in garage, side driveway, lot 38 feet front

PRICE $5200.00

No. 19

5 room two story on the Hilltop, living room, dining room, kitchen, pantry, built-in china closet, French doors, hot and cold water, fine basement, 2 bed rooms and bath upstairs, front and rear porch. Fine garage and wash house, with water and gas, fine big lot 35 feet front and 133 feet deep. You will like this home.

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No. 20

Nice 5 room cottage on Summitt street near Grant, bath room but no fixtures, electricity, new fixtures, living room, dining room, two bed rooms can be reached from long hall, kitchen, water in kitchen, fine cellar, fine lot, large barn, sanitary sewer connected, street assessment almost all paid. This is a dandy home for only

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No. 21

4 room cottage on Eighth below the Viaduct, complete bath and electricity, sanitary sewer connected, street assessment paid, lot 30x120 feet.

PRICE $4000.00

No. 22

A dandy 3 room "Ell" cottage on Oakland avenue near Kinney's Lane, all newly painted, water in the house, good cellar, lot 30 by 108 feet. A good buy for

PRICE $3700.00

No. 23

4 room brick cottage on Second near Waller, living room, dining room, bed room, kitchen, pantry, back porch, cellar, gas in all the rooms, water in kitchen. To be vacant soon.

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No. 24

6 room two story home with one acre of land at South Webster, Ohio. 18 miles from Portsmouth, 10 miles paved road.

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Three and seven-tenths acres and a 4 room cottage about 2 1-2 miles out the Scioto Trail and about one-half mile from paved road. Two never failing wells of water, one acre good garden. All under fence for pasture, twenty young fruit trees. While it lasts at only

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FOR SALE—Small farms, one to 10 acres. Terms to suit. Phone 8702-K Scioto'ville. 5-10t

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FOR SALE—"Gem Garland" gas heating stove. Phone 572-Y. 10-3t

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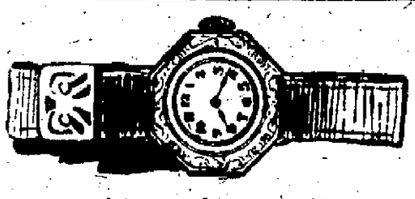

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FOR SALE—Dark oak player piano, standard make with bench, scarf and music rolls. $10 per month. R. P. Seller, The Old Reliable Piano Store, 212 Chillicothe St., Turley Bldg. 12-3t

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FOR SALE—New house, 6 rooms, bath, electricity, basement, large lot, garage with concrete floor. Phone 1068-R. 11-3t

FOR SALE — Electric sweepers, slightly used, various makes. Wm. S. Fox, Anderson's 4th floor. 11-3t

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FOR SALE—Fresh eggs. 1528 Jackson. 11-3t

FOR SALE—Plenty of fine Christmas trees. 2358 8th. 11-2t

FOR SALE—A No. 1 rabbit hound and a good dog for night hunting. Price $10. 509 Gay St. Phone 836-L. 12-3t

FOR SALE—Bush & Gerts piano, 5 organs and 7 phonographs. R. P. Seller, 212 Chillicothe St. 12-3t

FOR SALE—5 room, two story; water, gas, full basement, inside toilet, nice lot; good location and very cheap. Small payment down. Empty. Price, less than $3,000. Phone 1404-X. 12-2t

FOR SALE—One hound pup. Call at 1315 Summitt after 4 p. m. 12-1t

FOR SALE—$100 wheel chair. New. Will sell for $35. Phone 517 or 801-L. 12-3t

FOR SALE—At 900 Offnere: Roman Beauty apples, $1.00 bu.; sauer kraut, 4 lbs. for 25 cents; oranges, 80 cents pk.; walnuts, 30 cts. pk.; Grimes' Golden apples, 60 cents pk.; rabbits, 35 cents each; sorghum, 50 cents half gallon; popcorn, 30 cents half pk.; honey, 30 cents lb.; Christmas trees, 35 and 50 cents each; country eggs, 58 cents dozen; potatoes, 90 cents bu. We deliver. Phone 2621. 12-12-tf

FOR SALE—New Columbia talking machine, large size, brown mahogany, list price $175. Will sell at once for $117 with five records free. Rice Bros. Edison Phonograph Dept. 12-3t

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FOR SALE—Used auto parts. De Berrienne, 535 2nd St. Phone 905. 12-6t

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FOR SALE—Furniture, all leather library suit, consisting of 6 pieces, library table, rugs, beds and springs, china closet. Mrs. H. Atlas, 1832 Timmonds. Phone 1506-R. 12-12-tf

FOR SALE—Columbia graphophone, same as new. 20 records. Cost $215. Will sell for $100. Phone 1074-L. 1640 5th. 12-2t

FOR SALE—Traffic truck, 1 1-2 ton; Service truck, 3 1-2, with cab body and hoist; Scripps-Booth touring, 1921 model. Call S. W. Jacobs, Reilly Bros. Garage. 12-3t

FOR SALE—Reed baby carriage. Price $7. Phone 1475-L. 12-2t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Room with board. Phone 2147-X. 12-6-tf

FOR RENT—Store room. 918 6th. Open 8 to 9 a. m. 12-5-tf

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FOR RENT—Large front room for 2 gentlemen or man and wife. All conveniences. 1401 9th. 12-5-tf

FOR RENT — Furnished sleeping room. 1 or 2 gentlemen. Phone 1953-L. 12-8-tf

FOR RENT—Garage on hill. Phone 1593. 12-8-tf

FOR RENT—2 furnished light housekeeping rooms. 1818 Grandview. 12-9-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room for gentleman. Private entrance. On car line. Phone 1650-G. 12-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished room for 1 or 2 gentlemen. Phone 428-M. 12-2t

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Good location. 1503 5th. Phone 351. 12-12-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room, modern, central. 626 Sixth. 12-12-tf

FOR RENT—Barber shop just above Market Street, at 512 Second Street; two chairs, everything furnished except tools. J. E. Hannah, 512 Second St. Phone 2436. 12-3t

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LOST—Gentleman's diamond ring with 1.47 carat blue diamond. Setting had one broken prong. Lost between November 15th and November 24th somewhere between Portsmouth, Ohio, and Kenova, W. Va., or in one or the other of those cities. Any reasonable reward will be paid if returned to Lemon D. Raisor, Greenup, Ky. 8-5t

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LOST—Auto radiator cap. Finder phone 1526-R. 11-2t

LOST—Black and tan hound. Finder return to 1814 7th. Reward. 11-2t

LOST—Black leather handbag, containing money, near Menke's Grocery. Reward. Mrs. A. C. Thompson. 11-3t

LOST—Child's umbrella on Grant or Franklin Ave. Please phone 555-L or return to 1912 Hutchins. 12-1t

LOST—Pair of child's bedroom slippers between Martings and Moeller's Meat Market or on Wheelersburg Bus. Phone 1616-M. 12-1t

LOST—Pair of lady's brown kid gloves in post office or Chillicothe Street. Phone 1784-L. 12-2t

LOST—Green Old Town canoe on Ohio. Phone 1405, Reward. 12-3t

LOST—Gray fur choker between post office and Mary Louise, Saturday night. Reward. Call Boston 70-L. 12-2t

LOST—Buick automobile crank between Terminals and New Boston Station. Phone Scioto'ville 68. 12-3t

FOUND

FOUND—Lady's old fashioned gold watch chain. Phone 947-X after 5 p. m. 11-1t

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NOTICE—Start in business; $100 weekly mailing circulars; instruction book 50 cents. R. J. Leonord Co., Toronto, O. 10-3t

NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Maud Bowling. (Signed) Newt Bowling. 11-3t

NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Elizabeth Jordan. (Signed) Elmer Jordan. 12-3t

NOTICE—If you have anything to sell, call De Berrienne Second Hand Store. Phone 905. 12-6t

Market News

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 12—Prices moved within a narrow irregular range at the opening of today's stock market. Specialties in which there is a prospect of stock or extra dividend disbursements were bid up but industrial leaders such as Studebaker Baldwin, Republic and Crucible Steels and Standard Oil of New Jersey showed fractional losses. Except for a slight gain in New York Central, Railroad shares were very neglected. Gains of 1 to 2 points were registered by May Department Stores, Pittsburgh Coal, National Lead, Beech Nut, United Fruit, Iron Products, Mackay Companies and Computing, Tabulating and Recording.

Allied Chemical sold off two points at the opening and then recovered its loss. Peoples Gas, Consolidated Gas and Public Service of New Jersey were some of the early weak spots. Trading was relatively dull and of a professional character. Foreign exchanges opened strong and then eased off slightly.

Pressed by the quality of the buying power, in various industrial groups, bullish interests were encouraged to try their hand in the railroad stock and started bidding up representative shares. When the rally in dividend paying issues was well under way, low priced stocks were taken up but the advance in this group was not as pronounced as in the higher grade issues. Jersey Central jumped five points, Great Northern 3, Canadian Pacific 2, and Union Pacific, Reading, St. Paul preferred and Pere Marquette, one to 1½. Elsewhere the trend was decidedly upward with marked strength being shown by the steel, merchandising, shipping motor accessory and food shares. May Department stores extended its gain to five points, establishing a new high record for the year and Fisher Body was pushed up 6¾, also creating a new peak price. Gains of 2 to 3½ points were registered by Marine preferred, National Lead, Crucible and American Sumatra Tobacco. Call money opened at 4½ but eased off to 4 before noon.

Active buying of special stocks in which there is an early possibility of favorable dividend developments provided the impetus for a moderate advance in prices in today's stock market. Reports that the 3½ per cent semi-annual dividend paying issues, A further sharp rise in sterling exchange and lower call money rates had a cheerful effect on sentiment. Sales approximated 800,000 shares.

The closing was firm.

NEW YORK CLOSING PRICES STOCKS

American Can 74
American Car and Foundry 184½
American Locomotive 124
American Smelting and Refg. 54¾
American Sugar 75¾
American T. and T. 124¾
American Woolen 95¾
Anaconda Copper 48¼
Atchison 101
Atl. Gulf and W. Indies 24¾
Baldwin Locomotive 125
Baltimore and Ohio 42¾
Bethlehem Steel "B" 62¾
Central Leather 34¾
Chandler Motors 63½
Chesapeake and Ohio 66½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 22¾
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. 33
Chicago, and N. W. 82
Corn Products 183
Crucible Steel 66¾
Famous Players-Lasky 93⅝
General Asphalt 46¾
Goodrich Co. 34¾
General Motors 13¾
Illinois Central 107
Int. Mer. Marine pfd 32
Kelly-Springfield Tire 44⅝
Mexican Petroleum 235
Midvale Steel 28
New York Central 95⅝
Northern Pacific 75½
Norfolk and Western 111
Pan American Petroleum 80⅛
Pennsylvania 46¾
People's Gas 93½
Pure Oil 27⅝
Reading 76¾
Rep. Iron and Steel 46½
Royal Dutch N. Y. 53¾
Sinclair Oil 31⅛
Southern Pacific 86½
Standard Oil of N. J. 199
Studebaker Corporation 133¼
Texas Co. 47½
Tobacco Products 80¼
Union Pacific 138
United States Rubber 53¼
United States Steel 105⅝
Utah Copper 62
Willys Overland 6

COLUMBUS, Dec. 12—Cities Service common 173@175; do pfd 67½@68; Pure Oil 27⅞.

Chicago Grain And Provision

CHICAGO, Dec. 12—Cold weather threatening crop damage tended to lift wheat prices today during the early dealings and so likewise did an upturn in sterling exchange. The strength of sterling more than offset the fact that Liverpool quotations on wheat showed but little response to yesterday's advance here. Continued notice of prospects for enactment of credit extension measures at Washington counted also in favor of the bull side of the market. The opening which varied from unchanged figures to ¾ cents higher with May 1.20⅝ to 1.20¾ and July 1.10½ to 1.10⅝ was followed by a slight sag and then by material gains all around.

Corn ascended with wheat. After opening unchanged to a shade off May 71⅛ to 71⅛, the market scored a moderate general advance.

Oats were relatively weak owingg to liquidating sales on the part of holders of December contracts. Prices started unchanged to 1¼ lower, May 44⅝ to 44¾ but later showed small gains for May and July. Provisions declined as a result of lower hog values.

The close was firm ⅞ to 2⅛ net higher with May 1.21½@1.21⅝ and July 1.12 to 1.12⅛.

CINCINNAI GRAIN

CINCINNATI, Dec. 12—Wheat 1.38½@1.30; corn 76½@77; oats higher 49½@50; rye firm 88@89; hay 13.50@10.20.

Potatoes, cobblers 2.00@2.25 per sack 150 pounds; Red River early Ohios 1.40@1.50 per sack 120 pounds home grown 1.50@2.50 per barrel.

CHICAGO GRAIN REVIEW

CHICAGO, Dec. 12 —Wheat: Dec. 1.22⅝; May 1.21¼; July 1.12¼.

Corn: Dec. 72⅝; May 71⅝; July 72⅛.

Oats: Dec. 45⅛; May 45⅝; July 41⅝.

Lard: Jan. 10.10; May 10.45.

Ribs: January 10.30; May 9.50.

TOLEDO GRAIN

TOLEDO, Dec. 12 — Wheat cash 1.38½; corn 80½; oats cash 50½; barley 74; rye No. 2, 91.

Clover seed prime cash and Dec. 13.85; March 13.00.

Alsike, prime cash and Dec. 11.00; March 11.25.

Timothy prime cash old 3.50; Dec. 3.50; March 3.70.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12—Hogs: Receipts 57,000; 20c lower than Monday's best time; bulk 200 to 250 lb. averages 8.25@8.80; few 150 to 170 lb. averages 8.35 @ 8.45; top 8.45; packing sows mostly 7.50@8.00; desirable pigs around 8.25; heavy hogs 8.15@8.30; medium 8.20@8.30; light 8.25@8.40; light light 8.20@8.35; packing sows smooth 7.00@8.00; packing sows rough 7.30@7.65; killing pigs 8.10@8.35.

Cattle: Receipts 15,000; beef steers fairly active; generally steady; killing quality better than Monday, bulk native beef steers 8.50@10.25; several lots matured steers 10.00 @ 10.75; 12.75 bid on choice loads; she stock steady; bulls slow; veal calves strong to 25c higher; stockers and feeders slow; better kinds steady; others weak; bulk desirable veal calves to packers 9.25@9.75; upward to 10.00 for few choice light vealers; bulk desirable heavy bologna bulls 4.25@4.35; bulk stockers and feeders 5.50@6.50.

Sheep: Receipts 15,00; opening very slow; few early sales fat lambs around steady; early top 15.50 to packers; clipped 80 pound fed lambs 13.50; sheep fully steady; heavy fat ewes 5.00@6.00; light weight up to 7.25; tow lords 112 lb aged wethers 8.25.

CINCINNATI LIVESTOCK

CINCINNATI, Dec. 12—Hogs: Receipts 5,000; steady; heavies 8.50; packers and butchers 8.50; medium 8.50; stags 4.00@4.25; heavy fat sows 6.00@7.25; light shippers 8.50; pigs 110 pounds and less 6.00@8.50.

Cattle: Receipts 300; steady; steers good to choice 7.50@9.50; fair to good 6.50@7.50; common to fair 4.00@6.50; heifers good to choice 7.50@9.50; fair to good 6.00@7.50; common to fair 3.50@6.00; cows good to choice 4.50@6.00; fair to good 3.50@4.50; cutters 2.50@32.5.

Calves 50c higher; good to choice 11.00@11.50; fair to good 8.00@11.00; common and large 4.00@7.00.

Sheep: Receipts 200; steady; good to choice 5.00@6.50; fair to good 3.00@3.50; common 1.00@2.00; bucks 3.00@3.50.

Lambs steady; good to choice 13.50@14.00; fair to good 11.00@13.50; seconds 10.00@11.00; common 5.00@7.00.

EAST BUFFALO

EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 12—(Farmers' Co-Operative Market)—Cattle: ceipts 500; steady; Calves, receipts 600, 50c lower 5.00@12.00.

Hogs: Receipts 7,200; steady to 10c lower; heavy 8.75@8.85; mixed 8.75@8.90; yorkers 8.85@8.90; pigs 8.90@9.00; roughs 8.50; tsags 4.50@5.50.

Sheep and lambs: Receipts 2,000; active unchanged.

Produce Markets

CLEVELAND, Dec. 12—Produce unchanged.

CHICAGO PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Dec. 12—Butter lower; creamery extras 54; stundards 50½; extra firsts 50@53; firsts 46@49; seconds 42@44.

Eggs higher; receipts 2,311 cases; firsts 50@54; ordinary firsts 45@48; miscellaneous 48@50; refrigerator extras 29@29½; refrigerator firsts 27@28.

CINCINNATI PROVISIONS

CINCINNATI, Dec. 12—Live poultry, roasting chickens 4 lbs and over 22.

Eggs extra firsts 52; firsts 50; ordinary firsts 42; seconds 32.

Others unchanged.

GASOLINE AND ALCOHOL

CINCINNATI, Dec. 12—Alcohol denatured in drums 31⅛; gasoline tank wagon 19; 70 per cent 20.

LEGAL NOTICE

WILLIAM WALLACE DUGGAN, whose last known place of residence was Rochester, New York, is hereby notified that Norma Hark Duggan has filed her petition against him for divorce in case No. 17601 of the Common Pleas Court of Scioto County, Ohio, and that said cause will be for hearing on or about the 27th day of January, 1923.

MILLER & SEARL
Dec. 12-6 Tues. Attys. for Plaintiff

ORDINANCE

Number 3130

Granting to The Security Bank of Portsmouth, Ohio, the right to construct and maintain a cellar stairway on a portion of the alley between Chillicothe street and Gay street running from Gallia street to Sixth street.

WHEREAS, The Security Bank of Portsmouth, Ohio, requests the right to use a portion of the alley running north and south from Gallia Street to Sixth Street between Chillicothe Street and Gay Street for the purpose of constructing and maintaining therein a stairway and cellar entrance to the basement of its building located on the north side of Gallia street between said Chillicothe Street and Gay Street.

AND WHEREAS, the said petitioner asks that said right be given over that portion of said alley described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the east line of said alley three feet north of the north property line of Gallia Street, thence north along the east line of said alley for sixteen feet, thence west and parallel with the north property line of Gallia Street three and one-half feet, thence south on a line parallel with the east line of said alley, for sixteen feet, thence east on a line parallel with the north line of Gallia Street to the place of beginning;

AND WHEREAS, it is deemed advisable by this Council that the right to construct and maintain said stairway and cellar entrance be granted as requested.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED, by the Council of the City of Portsmouth, State of Ohio, as follows:

SECTION I. That there be and is hereby granted to The Security Bank of Portsmouth, Ohio, the right and privilege to construct a cellar entrance and stairway to the basement of its building located on the north side of Gallia street between Chillicothe Street and Gay street, and in and upon that portion of the alley running north and south from Gallia Street to Sixth Street between Chillicothe street and Gay street, to-wit:

Beginning at a point in the east line of said alley three feet north of the north property line of Gallia street, thence north along the east line of said alley for sixteen feet, thence west and parallel with the north property line of Gallia street three and one-half feet, thence south on a line parallel with the east line of said alley, for sixteen feet, thence east on a line parallel with the north line of Gallia street to the place of beginning:

SECTION II. This grant is made upon the express condition that the said The Security Bank shall construct and maintain said cellar entrance and stairway with safety to the public, that it shall provide suitable safety devices for the prevention of injury to persons or property and that it shall save the City free and harmless from any and all claims for damages which may result during the construction and maintenance of said cellar entrance and stairway.

SECTION III. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

Passed December 6, 1922.

Attest: J. Earl Chandler, Clerk.

A. H. WEGHORST, President

Times, Dec. 12-2t; Sun Dec. 13-2t.

COTTON

NEW YORK, Dec. 12—Spot cotton steady; middling 25.30.

Cotton futures closed firm: Dec. 25.10; Jan. 25.11; March 25.38; July 25.02.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12 — Liberty bonds closed: 3½'s 100.32; first 4's 98.02 bid; second 4's 98.50; first 4¼'s 98.80; second 4¼'s 98.50; third 4¼'s 98.90; fourth 4¼'s 98.84; victory 4¾'s uncalled 100.40; called 100; U. S. government 4¼'s 99.88.

COFFEE

NEW YORK, Dec. 12—Coffee: Rio No. 7, 11; futures steady; Dec. 9.80; Mty 9.18.

MONEY

NEW YORK, Dec. 12—Call money easier; high 4¼; low 3¾; ruling rate 4¼; closing bid 3¾; offered at 4; last loan 3¾; call loans against acceptances 3¾; time loans steady; mixed collateral 60 to 90 days 4¾; 4 to 6 months 4¾@5; prime commercial paper 4¾.

SUGAR

NEW YYORK, Dec. 12—Raw sugar unchanged, spot Cubas quoted at 4 cents cost and freight equal to 5.78 for centrifugal. Raw sugar futures opened 1 to 2 points higher. Fine granulated 7.10. No transactions in refined futures.

Sugar futures closed steady; approximate sales 10,000 tons: Jan. 3.75; March 3.46; May 3.56; July 3.67.

Buy Christmas Seals.

Extra Car In Service

The Street Railway company has placed a revamped car in the Third street service and during the holidays it will be operated with the regular car owing to the heavy traffic.

Buy Christmas Seals.

OBITUARY

Mary Jamima Potts

Mary Jamima B. Potts, was born Hanover, Germany, April 1, 1863 and departed this life, Sunday, December 3, at 3 p. m. at the age of 59 years, eight months and two days. At the age of nine Mrs. Potts came to this country accompanied by her father and mother Mr. and Mrs. August Bentine and two brothers Charles and William Bentine. January 8, 1882, she was united in marriage to William H. Potts. To this union fourteen children were born, William A. Potts, Scioto Furnace; Daniel H. Potts, East St. Louis; Theodore Potts, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Emma C. Warner, South Webster; Edward B. Potts, New Boston; N. B. Potts, South Webster; Mrs. W. A. Kibby, Hamden; Mrs. Homer Rhude, Lima; John W. and Gladys of South Webster; Frederick, Dorothea, Charles, Conrad and Bertha preceded their mother in death. Besides the ten children, Mrs. Potts is survived by her husband W. H. Potts and a brother William Bentine of Ashland, Ky. Mrs. Potts was converted early in life at Bloom Furnace and at her death was a member of the South Webster M. E. church, but for many years she was physically unable to attend religious services. She was a devoted wife and mother, very unselfish and home-loving—her home was her sphere, her all in all. She was never so happy as when she had her loved ones with her and in the home gatherings of the future mother will be sadly missed.

Mrs. James A. Maxwell

Restful on the wings of fading darkness, the soul of Mrs. Fannie L. Maxwell, widow of the late James A. Maxwell, took its flight into the portals beyond this morning at 5:20 o'clock, the final call coming at her home, 808 Second street, after a several months illness. Nervousness, followed by complications, resulted in her death.

Late in September Mrs. Maxwell was first taken ill. Shortly afterwards she improved and several times later her condition became serious but always improved until she was able to be up and around. She was able to be downstairs on Thanksgiving Day and also last Wednesday before she was taken to a local hospital where it was thought her nervous condition would improve. She remained only two days, returning home on the following Friday. Last Saturday noon she lapsed into unconsciousness and remained in that state until she passed away this morning.

Mrs. Maxwell was born in Tollesboro, Ky., April 26, 1874. Her younger life was spent in the Tollesboro community where she was married May 4, 1876, to D. A. Cadwallder, who died March 12, 1895, near Tollesboro.

In 1904 she came to Portsmouth where she spent the remainder of her life. On March 14, 1910, she was married in this city to James A. Maxwell. He passed away just four years ago today, the final summons coming to Mr. Maxwell early on the morning of December 12.

The surviving relatives are a daughter by the first marriage, Mrs. W. T. Gray, 1407 Center street, and a sister, Mrs. S. K. Parker of 1820 Eleventh street. She also leaves three nieces, Miss Jennie Porter of Mt. Carmel, Ky., Mrs. Annie O'Dannon of Champaign, Ill., Mrs. Lucy Baker of Jacksonville, Fla., and a nephew, S. E. Tulley of Madison, Ind.

Mrs. Maxwell had been a member of Bigelow church practically all the time she had been in Portsmouth. She was actively engaged in church and Sunday school work, being a member of the various organizations of the church and a teacher of a class of boys in the Sabbath school. For sometime she had made it her business to look after the needy and poor, but these facts were things she spoke of very little to her friends, for she carried on the work with her whole heart and soul, firm in the belief that it was the command of her Master to look after those less unfortunate than herself. The scope of her missionary work along this line will probably never be known, for she looked after and contributed to the wants of many without the knowledge of her friends. Many will miss the cheering and comforting words she brought in their homes and lives. Truly it can be said, a good woman has passed to her final reward.

The funeral services will be held from the home on Second street Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with Rev. C. E. Chandler, pastor of Bigelow church, in charge. The body will be taken to Mt. Tabor, Ky., near Tollesboro, early Thursday morning for burial.

Edgar F. Draper.

Funeral services for the late Edgar F. Draper, whose death occurred at his home, 721 Sixth street early Monday morning, will be held from the residence Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock with the Rev. Hugh Ivan Evans, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church, of which Mr. Draper was a member, in charge. Interment will be made in Greenlawn cemetery.

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News From Nearby Towns

OAK HILL

The marriage of Miss Margaret Davis, of Black Fork, and Mr. Rupert Pickens, of Gallia, was solemnized last Wednesday at the home of the Rev. Rowland Jones. Following the ceremony a fine supper was served at the home of Mrs. David Davis, at Black Fork, where the bride has made her home for the past several years. Mrs. Pickens is the eldest daughter of Timothy Davis, and a sister to Eddie Davis, of this place.

On Tuesday evening of this week, a reception was given the young couple at the home of Mrs. Davis, and they were presented with a "Pyrex" baking dish by a representative of the bell crowd. At a late hour refreshments of sandwiches, ice cream and cake were served to the large crowd.

Miss Hazel Ruth, of Portsmouth, spent several days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Ruth, of Samsonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Talmadge Edwards, of Portsmouth, were Thanksgiving guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller and daughter Miriam, had as guests over Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. George Dixon, parents of Mrs. Miller. Miss Opal Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Thatcher and mother, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. McGinn, Florence Horn, Rebecca Kidd and Mrs. Pearl Swearingen and son Ralph Edwin, all of Portsmouth.

Henry Thomas, manager of Liberty Theater, has been very ill with a severe attack of tonsilitis.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Shumate spent part of last week with their son Theodore, and wife, at Portsmouth.

Mrs. Bertha Shackleford and son Will, and Jesse Roberts, of Portsmouth, spent Thursday of last week with relatives here.

Miss Gretchen Jones returned to Columbus after a very pleasant visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Parson Jones.

Miss Madge Kennedy, of Jackson, spent Tuesday night with Misses Emily and Dorothy Shaffer.

John T. Hughes, of Oak Hill, and W. E. Davis, of Jackson, have been appointed administrators of the estate of the late T. J. Hughes, father of the first named. Mr. Davis is a son-in-law of the deceased.

HAMDEN

The wind storm Friday afternoon did considerable damage to the McArthur Brick Co. plant at Puritan. The left wing of the machinery room roof with rafters, was taken about 100 feet in the air and fell near Tabbotts' store, a distance of about 200 feet, the center of roof and rafters was blown on the dry house and right wing on brick shed.

A window in the school house auditorium here was blown in, telephone poles between Hamden and Oreton blown down and considerable damage done to other property in the neighborhood.

The Dundas Farmers' Institute was held at the U. B. church on Friday and Saturday, December 8th and 9th, at Dundas. Mr. E. A. Flemming, who is an orchardist and truck grower from Washington Co., Mr. Cromley, one of the States' Assistant Foresters, and Mrs. Velorus Martz, of Columbus, a graduate of Ohio State in Home Economics, were the speakers at the Institution.

Baltimore & Ohio Operator R. Biggs, of Loveland, is working as second trick operator here during the absence of Operator C. H. Merrill, who is off duty on account of death of his father.

Ed Fry, of Columbus, was visiting with relatives and friends here Saturday and Sunday. Ed is a former Hamden resident, for several years he was connected with the old B. & O. depot restaurant.

JACKSON

Sheriff Davis returned home from Urbana, Ill., Friday morning with Clyde Lambert and lodged him in the county jail. Lambert was a fugitive from justtice but was captured at Urbana by the chief of police there. He was under sentence for rape and under a bond of $2000. He had been sentenced to the penitentiary for five years, and will be taken to Columbus soon to begin serving his sentence.

The friends of George Washington Scurlock are sorry to learn of his death at his home in Rocky Hill on Friday morning. He was about 76 years of age and a well known citizen of Bloomfield township. Funeral services will be held on Sunday afternoon at Union church. The Jackson Knights of Pythias, of which he was a member, expect to attend the services in a body.

Mrs. Harry Brown of Wellston spent the afternoon on Friday with Miss Bertha Sternberger on South street.

A most interesting meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held on Thursday evening at the Cambrian Hotel. Judge R. M. Powell presided. The talks of the evening were on "Education" in commemoration of Educational week. Prof. Dixon, County Superintendent of Schools gave an instructive talk on "Equal Educational Opportunities." Prof. C. T. Trine of the high school faculty spoke on "Physical Education in the schools." Music was furnished by George Roderick, Gordon Reynolds and Edward Michael. Also a dialogue was given by some of the girls from the seventh grade. In the business hour officers were elected for the coming year who were, President, Dr. H. Shumate, Vice President, Miss Katherine B. Martin and Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Anna Maude Fehrman. The first meeting of the new year will be held on Thursday evening, Jan. 4th.

Mrs. George Sheldon and children, June and Winifred of Chillicothe are visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Hipple on Broad street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Melvin of Broad street have gone to Springfield to spend the winter with their daughter Mrs. Edward McCartney and family.

Miss Gloria Jones is a week end visitor in Athens.

The Loyal Daughters of Ruth met on Wednesday evening with Mrs. James Wildman, with Mrs. John Peppers and Mrs. L. D. Peters as assistant hostesses. After the business meeting in which new officers for the ensuing year were elected, a contest game was played in which Mrs. Joe Hardy was the winner. Light refreshments were served.

Mrs. Andrew Etzkorn, who has been making an extended visit with her father, T. J. Evans and sisters, Mrs. Dan Jones and Mrs. Will Peters has returned to her home at Norfolk, Va. Last week she and Mrs. Peters made a short visit in Waverly with their sister, Mrs. G. B. Nye.

Mrs. Zella Whetzel of Columbus is visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Weed on Broad street.

Mrs. Ripley Clapr of Pearl street will be the hostess to the John James chappter of the D. A. R. on next Tuesday afternoon.

The opertica "Mother Goose's Thanksgiving Party," which was given by the little folks of the Christian church recently will be repeated on Monday evening, Dec. 11th.

Effective Friday, December 15th, No. 51 Parkersburg to Portsmouth train due here at 8:30 a. m. and No. 54, Portsmouth to Parkersburg accommodation due here 5:05 p. m., will be restored. This is good news for the Hamden people as they will now receive the Portsmouth Times same day as published. At present it is not received until the next day.

PIKETON

The Red Cross drive which came to a close recently, was very successful, most of the old memberships having been renewed and a number of new members secured. The town was divided into districts by the Chairman, Mrs. W. A. Sampson and solicitors assigned to these districts. Mrs. J. W. Downing and Mrs. F. J. Kress were assigned to East Main street, Mrs. S. H. Cutler and Mrs. William Suppiee to West Main street, Miss Margaret Markham and Mrs. Cora Woods to Second street and the Chairman Mrs. W. A. Sampson did the soliciting on Third and Fourth streets. The honors for the largest amount collected go to Mrs. J. W. Downing and Mrs. Fred J. Kress, who collected $81.00. A meeting of the committee will be held one day next week and a final report of the drive made to Miss Damron who is in charge of county headquarters.

Russell Foster of Batavia is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Foster of Second street.

Mrs. Anna Lewis who has been visiting here for the past six months returned Saturday morning to her home at Stockton, Calif. She was accompanied by her brother Thomas Cutler who will make his home with her.

A. S. Keechel, editor of the Waverly Watchman was a business visitor here Saturday.

Miss Ina Cooper and Miss Lillian Douthitt were business visitors to Waverly Friday.

Mrs. Emma Foster of Piketon, and son Russell of Batavia went to Columbus Saturday morning and will spend the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Selby Foster.

Misses Emma Crawford, Dorothy Angevine and Ethel Jones and Mrs. J. P. Seller were shopping at Chillicothe Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. George Simpson and daughter Ethel shopped in Portsmouth Saturday.

J. H. Chandler of Beaver was a business visitor here Saturday afternoon.

SOUTH WEBSTER

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Murphy, of Sciotoville were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Murphy and family.

Alex Townsend of Portsmouth was the recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ves Townsend and family on Route 2.

Mrs. O. O. Downing and children and Mrs. S. Wiseman, were recent shoppers at Oak Hill.

Earl and Walter Cook were Portsmouth visitors last Saturday.

Mrs. M. J. Currington and son John were visiting relatives at Ironton Sunday.

Mrs. Smith and daughter Erma have returned from a visit with relatives in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Essman and little grandson Ernie were recent Portsmouth visitors.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Braunlin and children spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Havener and family.

Misses Ella Potts, Bertha and Wm. Reinart of Portsmouth, spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Wm. Potts, Sr.

Dr. and Mrs. McCall and family of Portsmouth spent Thanksgiving with their sisters Margaret and Stella McCall.

Cleve Beesler, of Sciotoville spent the week end with his mother Mrs. E. Beesler and family.

Marion Perry of Portsmouth is visiting his brothers Fred and Dave Perry.

LILLY

Rev. John Conley conducted services at Union church Saturday and Sunday.

Beryl Morgan and Isabella Hughes, Mae Benington, Henry Bussey, Tandy White, Robert Grashel met at Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Turner's to practice for their Christmas entertainment, which is to be given at Union church Sunday night, Dec. 24.

Miss Agnes Turner had as Sunday dinner guests Miss Edith Baer, Lou Yeley and Fred Grashel.

Mr. Joe Turner, Jr., and Fred Grashel were calling on Alonzo White Sunday.

Miss Mae Bennington was the guest of Misses Mabel and Edna Turner Sunday.

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PIKETON

Floyd Ware and Harley Browny were visitors in Portsmouth Saturday.

Robin Hatfield who is taking treatment at the Soldiers' Hospital at Fort Thomas, Ky., is spending a few days at his home in Piketon.

Miss Elinor Markham, who is teaching school at Richmondale, O., spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Markham.

Mrs. H. H. Brunny who has been spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Brunny of Portsmouth, returned to her home in Piketon Saturday.

Piketon high school basketball team was defeated by the Beaver high school team Friday night by a score of 10 to 5. The game was refereed by C. C. Myers of Piketon.

There was a large crowd in attendance at the lecture course at the opera house Saturday night. The next number will be presented on Tuesday, December 19.

Arthur Cooper has bought the home of Charles Cutler on Front street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Mickle of Piketon spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Woods at Omega.

Tom Cutler left Piketon Saturday for Los Angeles where he expects to make his home with his sister, Mrs. Anna Lewis.

Earl Dunham of Portsmouth was a visitor in Piketon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Talbott and daughter Dorothy were visitors in Portsmouth Saturday.

The machine of John Shy was wrecked just below Piketon at the Mound Cemetery Saturday night. Mr. Shy lost control of his machine and it struck a telephone pole. The care was badly damaged. Mr. Shy received a few minor cuts about the face and hands. He is the owner of a garage in Columbus.

GREENUP

W. N. Crawford of Covington spent Thursday and Friday with relatives at Riverton.

Mrs. Emma Witherow of Douglas, Minn., arrived here this week to visit relatives for several days.

The Burley Tobacco warehouse now under construction here is nearing completion and will soon be ready for receiving tobacco, which will be announced later. W. O. Womack of Oldtown has been appointed manager, but the bookkeeper has not been chosen.

Little Henry and Ilene Darby, children of Chas. Darby of St. Paul, Minn., arrived in Greenup last week and will spend the winter with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brown. The children, aged ten and twelve, respectively, and made the entire trip by themselves, each bearing a tag around their neck showing their destination. Mrs. Chas. Barby, mother of the children, died recently in St. Paul.

The local colored people will give a play entitled "Contest of Nations" at the Theatorium Theatre Thursday night, December 14th. The money will be for the benefit of their school in East Greenup. The cast of characters are: Miss Winifred Downey, Godess of Liberty; Edna Chillison, Columbia; George Jackson, Britania; Edith Greene, China; Eugene Greene, Spain; Margaret Martin, Switzerland; Hurley Greene, Belgium; Maud Martin, Italy; Didley Carrol, Erin; Helen Thimus, France; James Downey, Cuba; Hazel Greene, Japan; Benjamin Beckwith, Hawaii; Miss Ina Downey, pianist; directress, M. E. Penny.

A new postoffice has been established at the head of Coal Branch, at the home of Lee Hacker. It has been named "Stass," instead of "Joe," as previously announced. Mrs. Suda Hacker is the postmistress.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Geyer and children of Richmond, Va., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bennett, recently

On Monday and Tuesday, December 18 asd 19, the farmers in the Haverhill vicinity will hold their annual institute program. There will be many important farming problems discussed.

LYRA

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Canter of Vernon had as guests Sunday Mrs. Martha Strickland of Vernon, Mrs. Roxa Cayton, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wente, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones, and Mrs. Anna Nagel of Lyra, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin of Scioto Furnace, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Jones of Portsmouth. Misses Dorothy Martin and Bessie Simms of Scioto Furnace Elizabeth Nagel, Mary Lucile Nagel, Marcella Jones and Garnett Wente of Lyra. Messrs. Charles Ferrel, George Jones, Howard Nagel, and Russell Nagel of Lyra and Carlos Jones of Portsmouth.

NEW BOSTON

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Anna Smith and Mr. Leonard Grose, which was solemnized Saturday, December ninth, at the parsonage of the Christian church at Catlettsburg. The single ring ceremony was performed and they were unattended. The bride, who is the charming young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith of Powellsville, was beautifully attired in a suit of dark blue serge with gray accessories, and was before her marriage a valued employe with the Selby Shoe company. Mr. Grose is the son of Mrs. William Davis of Gallia avenue, and employed as ruffer in the sheet mill department at the Whitaker-Glessner company's plant. Mr. and Mrs. Grose will make their home for the present with his mother.

The many friends of Miss Alt Carroll of Seaman, Ohio, and Mr. Ollie Cassity of Rhodes avenue will be surprised to learn of their marriage, which took place November the first in Roanoke, Virginia. Miss Carroll is the attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carroll of Seaman, Ohio, and is a nurse at the Hempstead Hospital. Miss Carroll was attired in a blue tricotine suit, with accessories to match. Mr. Cassity is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Cassity of New Boston, and is well worthy of the bride he won. They will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Cassity of Rhodes avenue.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Immanuel Baptist Church will meet all day Thursday at the home of Mrs. T. E. Emory of Spruce street.

Thursday evening at seven o'clock every member of Immanuel Baptist Sunday school is asked to meet at the church to practice the singing for the Christmas entertainment.

The Ladies' Union of Ohio Avenue Christian Sunday School will meet Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Randolph Smith of Grace street, to quilt.

Dewey Perry will entertain the members of the Young People's Society of the First Baptist Church of Portsmouth this evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Rose of Glenwood avenue.

There will be prayer meeting tomorrow evening at all of the local churches.

The Woodmen of the World will meet Thursday evening in regular session at Davis hall on Gallia avenue.

Mr. William Reynolds has returned to his home in Cleveland, after a short visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stebick and son of Eighth street were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reynolds, Sunday.

Little Dorothy Born, who fell on a crochet needle Friday, is improving rapidly.

Misses Mam'e Ottney and Florence Oliver were the guests of the former's sister-in-law, Mrs. George Ottney, of Gallia avenue, Sunday.

Mrs. Asa Canter, who has been ill for some time, is improving slowly at her home on Oak street.

Mrs. Frank Jarrells had as guest Sunday, Mrs. Lew Marsh and Mrs. Chas. Ach and children of Sciotoville.

Miss Ruth Mullins was the guest of Miss Garnet Bell of Rhodes avenue Sunday evening.

Miss Perlin Abell Zeck entertained as her guest Saturday, Miss Dorothy Mathiott, of Portsmouth.

Miss Ottelia Pellegrinon was the guest Sunday of Miss Bertha Truitt of Rhodes avenue.

Mrs. Anna Scott of 4042 Pine street is very low with heart trouble. She has been sick for some time. Mrs. Scott is a sister of Mrs. Ben Seel of 1017 Third street.

Miss Blanche DePriest and Miss Lillie Collier visited the latter's aunt of Portsmouth last evening.

Mrs. Oscar Huffman and son, Russell, of Hayport Road, were recent guests of relatives here.

Mrs. W. D. Lewis and Mrs. John Caulley of Cedar street were visitors to Portsmouth yesterday.

Mrs. John Henning of Gallia avenue was the guest Sunday afternoon of her uncle, John Sowers, who is very ill at his home in Portsmouth.

Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Bowen of Pine street, who is a patient in Hempstead hospital, and has been seriously ill, was reported a little better today.

Mrs. Harry Castor of Spruce street, who is ill, is improving rapidly.

John Ward of Hales Creek has returned to his home after spending the week-end with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Pollard of Rhodes avenue.

Mrs. Ida Huffman of Harrisonville avenue has returned from a short visit with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McCormick of Huntington, formerly of this place.

Mrs. Morris Evans of Rhodes avenue was a visitor to Portsmouth yesterday.

Mrs. W. E. Duncan of Cedar street, who has been ill, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. James Culver and family of Vine street spent Sunday with relatives in Portsmouth.

Mrs. Ella Jenkins of Glenwood avenue, who is suffering with a broken arm, is improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Myers and Mrs. Ida Huffman of Harrisonville avenue were guests last evening of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Huffman of Vine street.

WEST SIDE

Alex Learch of McGaw vicinity was a business visitor and guest of friends in Portsmouth Saturday.

Mrs. Lucy Elliott and son Wayne of Turkey Creek were recently visitors to Portsmouth.

Mrs. Lona Snyder of Buena Vista and aunt and guest Mrs. John Harris of Charter, Ky., shopped in Portsmouth Saturday.

Miss Glada Arnette of Buena Vista pike was recently the guest of Miss Wilma Asche of Sciotoville.

Charles Richter of Buena Vista was a business visitor to Portsmouth Monday.

Messrs. Morrison and William McMasters of Buena Vista pike were guests of friends in Portsmouth Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Workman of McGaw entertained with a delicious chicken dinner Sunday. Covers were laid for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Easter and son Harold and Walter and Ernest Easter, all of Buena Vista, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Workman and two daughters Miss Georgia and Myrtle.

Ben Platt of Turkey Creek was a business visitor to Portsmouth Monday.

Miss Grace Kennedy of Buena Vista pike returned home Sunday after a two days' visit with relatives and friends in Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Easter and two children of New Boston were wek-end guests of relatives near McGaw.

Wilbur Smith of South Webster, who was teacher of Upper Twin Creek school and resides at McGaw was a business visitor to Portsmouth Saturday.

SCIOTOVILLE and WHEELERSBURG

SCIOTOVILLE

Mrs. Earl Reynolds and children, Doris and Betty, of Harrison street, spent yesterday with her mother, Mrs. Anna Smith, of Third street.

Mrs. Carl Elsessor shopped in Portsmouth today.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. Church will serve a chicken dinner and hold a bazaar in the basement of the church Thursday evening, starting at five o'clock and will continue until 8:30 o'clock. The price will be fifty cents per plate, with ice cream and cake extra. Tickets are on sale at the Horace Moore and Bishop and Williams stores.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Berean Baptist Church will hold a pie social and Christmas sale at the Essman ice cream parlor. Everybody invited.

Mrs. Willard Bailey will entertain the Sciotoville Bridge Club at her home this evening.

Mrs. Charles Ach spent Sunday with friends in New Boston.

Mrs. W. R. Bailey of Eastern avenue is visiting friends in Columbus.

SCOIOTOVILLE

Roy Gable of Huntington is visiting at the home of his uncle and aunt Rev. and Mrs. Harry Keiffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smedley of Castle Hill are rejoicing over the arrival of a ten pound son. The little lad has been named Glenn Leroy.

Mrs. Etta Fisher of Portsmouth was the recent guest of Mrs. Richard Burgess of Long Meadow.

Mrs. Russell Huddleson and little daughter Doris of Long Meadow, shopped in Portsmouth Saturday.

Lawrence son of Mr. and Mrs. Len Miner is ill with chickenpox.

Mrs. Harriett Bender of Bonser Run was the guest Sunday of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Bender of New Boston.

WHEELERSBURG

Miss Anna Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith of Powellsville and Mr. Leonard Grose, son of Mrs. William I. Davis, of New Boston, were quietly married Saturday, December 9, at the parsonage of the Christian Church at Catlettsburg. The bride before her marriage was a valued employe of the Selby Shoe Company of Portsmouth, and is well known here, and the groom is employed as ruffer in the sheet mills at the Whitaker-Glessner company's plant and is well worthy of the charming young bride he won. They will make their home for the present with his mother at New Boston.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church will give a chicken supper at the church this evening from five till eight o'clock. The menu will consist of chicken pie, mashed potatoes, giblet gravy, slaw, cranberry sauce, ice cream, home-made cake and coffee. Everybody invited.

Mrs. John Pollard of Pine Creek was a recent guest of relatives in New Boston.

Mrs. Oscar Huffman and son Russell of Hayport Road were recent guests of relatives in New Boston.

WHEELERSBURG

The third number of the lecture course will be given Saturday night at the high school auditorium.

Mrs. R. C. Wood, who has been ill for several days remains about the same.

Buy Christmas Seals.

Election A Joke; Has To Serve

NICKERSON, Kas., Dec. 12—(By The Associated Press)—Declaring she won in the recent election because club women jokingly wrote her name on the ballot, Miss Clara Arnold, 19 years old, protested yesterday when asked to qualify for the office of justice of peace and police judge.

"It's a joke, she said, "I don't want to be called Judge Arnold." Informed she must qualify or be subject to prosecution she said, "I'll qualify but I don't want the job." Friends declare Miss Arnold is the youngest, if not, the only woman police judge in Kansas.

Buy Christmas Seals.

Election Contests In Vinton County

(Special To Times)

WELLSTON, Dec. 12 — Vinton county is enjoying two election contests, in the Auditor and Surveyor races, cases being filed in the common pleas court this week. In the auditor's race Martin Murphy claims to have been elected over E. T. Ansel and in the surveyor's race S. R. Walker makes similar claims and sues to unseat K. R. Swaney. The irregularities are alleged to have occurred in two precincts.

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Sciotoville Team Will Play Ironton

The Irontonian says:

The St. Joseph Selects have accepted a challenge thrown into their teeth by the Sciotoville Independents managed by Rev. Mr. Cross, formerly of this city, and the two teams will clash next Thursday evening in the high school gym. If the gym cannot be secured the game will be played at Columbia Hall.

The Sciotoville quintet is no ordinary basket ball club, but is one of all-star calibre and is claimed to be one of the best Independent teams ever turned out at Sciotoville.

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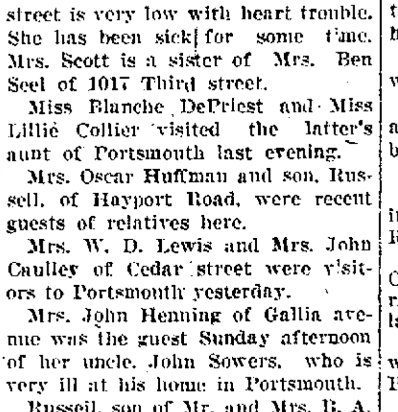

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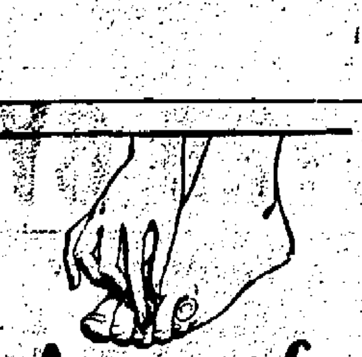

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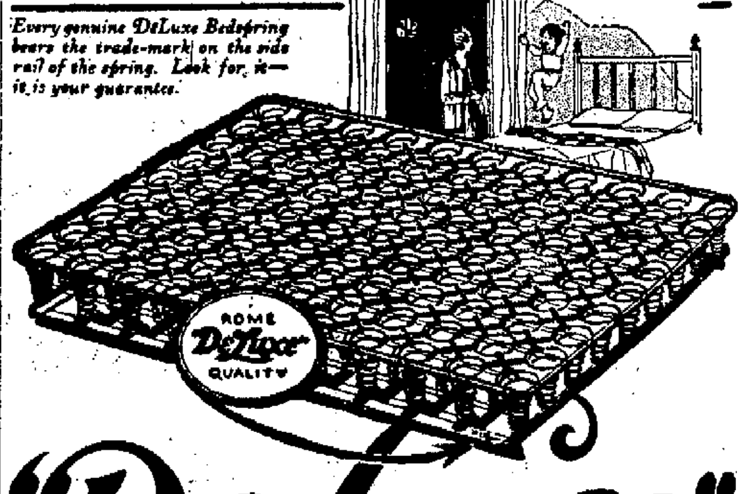

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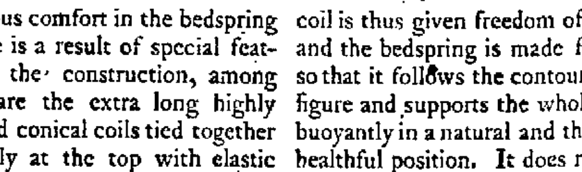

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BIG TIME ENJOYED BY K. OF P.

Climax to a several week's membership campaign staged by the Knights of Pythias in the county came last night when the members with their wives, families and invited friends, enjoyed an evening's program in Castle hall, Fourth and Washington streets. Close to 350 persons were present including about a hundred from the various parts of the county with Minford Lodge having the largest representation outside the city. All had taken part in the membership campaign to make it a big success and the entertainment last night was part of the reward for the effort spent in rounding up the big class of new members taken into the lodges throughout the county last month.

The program last night could not have been better and the committee in charge is to be complimented on the quality of the entertainment. The entertainment opened with an overture by the D. O. K. K. orchestra which included Herbert Kalb, Russel G. Ketter, Joe Ross, Fred Beloat, W. Leslie Ketter, Floyd E. Stearnes, Jos. Bladick, Williard H. Wilson, Chas. Brunner, Dan Hodge, and John E. Kah. This was followed by the selection "Until the Dawn," by the Orpheus Male Quartet. A forty-five minute illustrated lecture on the Pythian Homes at Springfield was given by Grand Trustee Frank Landers of Cleveland. He told of the work of the Homes for the aged Pythians and orphans of Pythians and showed slides illustrating much of the work. This proved quite interesting to the large number who have not had the pleasure of visiting the Homes.

Then came the fun part of the entertainment with the program consisting in the main of a minstrel entitled "Irregular Doino", with Fred Larcamp as interlocutor. The end men who dispensed the laughs were O. Y. Coriell, S. C. Miller, Arthur Flowers, H. H. Grice, George Brock and H. Wells Elliott. John E. Kah was the director and much of the success of the entertainment is due to his hard work in making plans for the show. Then came the following program:

Opening Chorus—"Old Fashioned Girl."
Bass Solo—"Asleep in the Deep"—W. C. Halstead.
"Squirrel Food"—O. Y. Corriell.
Just Fun—Arthur Flowers.
Nomlly Song—"Mary"—H. H. Grice.
"My Liza"—S. C. Miller.
Selection—"Jim"—Orpheus Quartet. Bennett, Welch, Fry, Halstead
"School Days"—George Brock.
More Fun—H. Wells Elliott.
"Wake Up, Little Girl, You're Dreaming—O. E. Burcham.
"The Hunter"—H. H. Grice.
Song—"Dapper Dan"—O. Y. Corriell
Closing Song.
Finale.
Overture—D. O. K. K. Orchestra
"The Countown Wedding"—
Parson—Doodlebug Dofunny—H. Wells Elliott.
The Bride—Miss Tickle Pinfeather—Sam C. Miller.
The Groom—Mr. Abraham Liverlip—Arthur Flowers.
Attendant— Pete—Geo. Brock.

More laughs followed on top of this when John Kah and Floyd Stearnes presented their skit of Gus and Fritz. The minstrel chorus included: Geo. Cornutte, J. Heortel, Robert Wilson, William Culbertson, Geo. Pressler, Albert Reinhart, C. C. Bennett, W. C. Halstead, H. L. Frye, Harold Welch, O. E. Burcham.

Refreshments were served at the close of the program. The refreshments included Klondike Slice furnished by the Pure Milk Company and cake.

OBITUARY

Miss Garnet Eckhart

Friends in this city of Mr. and Mrs. Sampson D. Eckhart, will learn with much sorrow of the death of their daughter, Garnet, who passed away at the Eckhart home in Minford about seven o'clock Monday night after a week's illness of heart trouble.

Miss Eckhart would have been seventeen years of age had she lived until March 5th next. She was born in Portsmouth and was a daughter of S. D. and Stella Eckhart. Besides her parents she leaves one sister, Mrs. Marie Fletcher, of Minford.

The Eckhart family lived in Portsmouth until about three years ago when they moved to Minford where Mr. Eckhart was connected with the rural schools. He was in the county auditor's office several years. Miss Eckhart attended the Portsmouth public schools all her life with the exception of two years at Minford. She was a member of the Junior class at Portsmouth High School this year, and was a member of the First Baptist church of this city.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 11:30 o'clock at the home at Minford with Rev. H. Stewart Tillis of the First Baptist church, in charge. Burial will be made in Greendawn cemetery about 2 o'clock. Friends in this city unable to attend the last rites at Minford are invited to the services to be held in Greenlawn.

Berwind Funeral

The last rites of the late John Berwind, who died at his home, 512 Waller street, will be conducted from the Holy Redeemer church at 8:30 Thursday morning. Interment will be in Greenlawn.

Mrs. Cornelia Baker

The many friends of Mrs. Cornelia Baker, widow of Robert Baker, will be grieved to learn of her answering the final summons at her home, 824 Second street, at 12:40 o'clock this afternoon, with her children at her bedside. She had been ill for a long time and her condition had been dangerous for the past week.

Mrs. Cornelia Baker was a daughter of Moses C. and Sarah Hallock Wilson and was born at Ballston Spings, New ork. When quite young she came to Portsmouth with her parents, and this city had been her home the remainder of her life.

She was married by the Rev. Dr. Barr of All Saints' church to Robert Baker, a well known contractor, who preceded her in death October 16, 1896.

To this union the following children were born: Annie and Charles, who died in infancy; John R., William and Robert Baker of this city; Mrs. Harriet Ann Buscher of McMinnville, Tenn.; Mrs. Jean Cornelia Gilbert of Fourth street, this city; and Mrs. Mary Brown of Washington C. H.

Mrs. Baker was well known throughout the city and she leaves a legion of friends who will be sorry to learn of her death.

The deceased was a member of All Saints' church for a number of years and the funeral services will be conducted from her late residence, 824 Second street, by Rector E. A. Powell of that church. Time of the funeral will be announced later. Burial will be private.

Mr. Briggs 78 Tomorrow

Joseph Briggs, a life-long resident of Portsmouth, will celebrate his seventy-eighth birthday anniversary Wednesday, December 13. He still is hale and hearty and bids fair to round out many more years of usefulness. He has for many years been an honored resident of the Scioto Trail, or the Chillicothe Pike, as Mr. Briggs says he likes to call it.

Says Farmers Will Pay More In Taxes Than His Profits

COLUMBUS, O., December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—That the Ohio farmer this year probably will pay in taxes more than his profits in operating his farm, was declared by Master Harry A. Catton, of the State Grange to have been revealed by investigations in his annual address at the golden jubilee meeting of the Ohio Grange here this afternoon. His address dealt mainly with questions of taxation, good roads, the corn borer; conservative co-operation among the various grange branches.

More than 2,500 delegates, the greatest number ever attending an annual meeting of the Grange in its fifty years of existence were on hand when sessions opened this morning.

Enlarging upon his declaration concerning the farmer's taxes, Master Catton said that if this condition continued, it would be idle for folks to remain on the farms and produce for the nation. He asserted that real estate cannot continue to bear an unproportionate share of taxes without disaster to agriculture; that taxing districts must live within their incomes; that privilege, luxury and income should share the burden of taxation and that continued issuance of tax exempt securities will mean the continued diversion of wealth into non-taxable channels and a continued increase in the taxes on other property.

Oak Hill Pythians Elect New Officers

(Special To Times)

OAK HILL, Dec. 12—Oak Hill Lodge, No. 708, K. of P., has elected the following officers to serve during the year 1923:

P. C.—Robert Hughes.
C. C.—Ottis Dalton.
V. C.—John Silvey.
P.—John Morgan.
K. of R. S.—Daniel Jones.
M. of E.—Clyde Jones.
M. W.—John Mustar.
M. A.—Enos Dole, Jr.
I. G.—John Burnsides.
O. G.—Theophilus Jones.
Rep. to Grand Lodge—Mostyn Jones and Lew Jenkins.
Alternates—Henry Lewis and Rees B. Edwards.
Trustee—Tom Williams.

Shumate Is Ill

Assistant Fire Chief Shumate is ill at his home on Ninth street. He contracted a heavy cold while fighting the Leet fire Sunday morning.

Entertainment This Evening

Tonight at eight o'clock in Harn Gari hall the Orpheus Male Quartet will present an entertainment under the auspices of the National Protective Legion. The quartet composed of Harold Welch, C. C. Bennett, H. L. Fry and H. C. Halstead will be assisted by Miss Marjorie Gerlach, reader. In addition to a large number of selections by the quartet, C. C. Bennett entertains with a clever monologue and Halstead sings a bass sole.

Hunt Rabbits In Pike Co.

H. C. Weller of this division of the N. & W. and Attorneys Henry T. and A. H. Bannon put in Thursday rabbit hunting near Sargent, Pike county.

Riggs Is Better

Fireman James Riggs, who was injured at the Leet fire will be able to leave Hempstead hospital tonight and return to his home on Gallia street. His injured eye is better and it is now believed that the sight will be saved.

Bonus Bill Re-Introduced

WASHINGTON, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Declaring that a bonus to soldiers was "as justifiable as a bonus to the ship operat, North Carolina, today reintroduced the soldiers' bonus bill vetoed by President Harding as an amendment to the administration bill.

Workers' Party Of America Is Turned Down By New Party

CLEVELAND, O., December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—The first business before this morning's session of the conference for progressive political action was the report of the committee on credentials which decided that since a workers party of America was not in harmony with the principles of the conference, their representative be not seated."

The report was adopted. The matter was referred back to the credentials committee late yesterday for further consideration.

With recognition of the workers party refused by the conference on the supplemental report of the credentials committee, the report of the committee on organization and finance was presented. It provides that as soon as practicable the progressive movement be made nation-wide and extended to every political subdivision of every state in the union.

State conferences are to be called to form state organizations with authority to take concerted action at Republican and Democratic state primaries or to make independent nominations as they may choose.

The report of the organization committee headed by Morris Hillquetn, of New York, outlined the purpose of the progressive conference "as to secure the nomination and election of a president, vice president, United States senators, congressmen, state legislatures and state officers pledged to progressive policies and the interest of industrial democracy."

Discussion of the organization report was still under way when the conference adjourned for lunch.

SAYS $9,000,000 NOT ENOUGH EVEN TO MAKE "DRYS" CONTINUE DRY

WASHINGTON, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—The appropriation of $9,000,000 carried in the treasury supply bill for the enforcement of prohibition during the next fiscal year was declared by Senator Broussard, Democrat, Louisiana, in a speech in the senate today to be inadequate to make the dry law effective even among government officials and among those who forced the eighteenth amendment and the Volstead law upon us.'

Injured In Fall From Train

Charles Johnson, a well known N. & W. engineer of 1019 Mound street, is recovering from injuries sustained in the N. & W. yards at Kenova. He was standing on the steps of his engine which was doing some work in the yards when he fell to the ground. The entire train had passed him before he was missed and when members of the train crew went back to look for him they found him in an unconscious condition along the track with several bad wounds on his head. He was taken to the office of Dr. Scott, N. & W. surgeon at Kenova and was later brought to his home in this city with Dr. Scott and Mr. Johnson's brother-in-law, James Kiefer of Kenova accompanying him.

Johnson suffered three bad scalp wounds, one on the back of his head, one on the temple and the other on the forehead. He is now able to sit up.

Miss Wittenburg Is Not So Well

At Mercy Hospital it was stated this afternoon that Miss Gladys Wittenberg, a local school teacher, who was operated upon Sunday afternoon was not so well. However, it was stated that her condition was not regarded as dangerous.

Buy Christmas Seals.

RENAMES DAYTON MAN

WASHINGTON, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—President Harding returned to the senate today the nomination of Linden C. Welmer to be postmaster at Dayton, Ohio, which failed of confirmation at the last session of congress because of opposition.

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Great Britain Ready For ACompromise On Debts

LONDON, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Prime Minister Bonar Law informed the house of commons today with regard to the discussion of the allied debt question in the premiers' conference, that he had told the conference that if Great Britain saw some chance of a complete settlement with a prospect of finality, she was willing to run a certain risk in the end of not receiving as much from the allies and Germany as she might have to pay the United States.

Mr. Bonar Law's statement was in answer to a question with regard to the conversations of the premiers.

The prime minister said that in view of the fact that the conference would be resumed he would decline to discuss what had occurred there as a whole.

"There is, however," he added, "one subject, the question of European and allied debts, which has been referred to in the press and as it may be regarded to a certain extent as a departure from our previous policy I think I had better give the house as far as I can the words I used."

"I said it would not be right that a settlement should be effected in such a way that we only, of all the allied countries, would be vertually paying an indemnity. What did seem fair to me was to consider the whole amount that would be obtained from Germany and say, as you are not getting what you expected from Germany we must reduce our claims."

HUDSON AND ESSEX DROP IN PRICE

The H. S. Howe Auto company Tuesday received official word from these plants in Detroit that a reduction had been made in Hudson and Essex cars.

Effective, at once the Hudson 7 passenger, Speedster and Coach would be $100 cheaper and the Hudson sedan would be $200 cheaper and the Essex coach $100.

Two Killed In N .& W. Wreck

BLUEFIELD, Dec. 12—Two members of a Norfolk & Western train crew were instantly killed and another was fatally injured when an engine and three head cars of a fifty car coal train were wrecked near Welch, W. Va., Monday.

Fireman Crigenbarger was scalded by a burst pipe, and while the wreckage was piling up was thrown into Tug River. He succumbed to injuries at miners' hospital at Welch.

Both Engineer Bock and Brakeman Neal were scalded to death and were caught under the wreckage.

Engineer Bock was married and leaves a widow and three children.

Fireman Crigenbarger was married, leaves a widow and no children. Brakeman Neal was single.

J. M. Bock, engineer, Keystone, W. Va.

E. C. Crigenbarger, fireman, Keystone, W. Va.

E. E. Neal, brakeman, Bluefield, W. Va.

Mrs. C. L. Fink of 1710 Hutchins street is a sister of Engineer Bock. She received word of the fatal accident yesterday afternoon and left with her husband late last night for Eckman, W. Va., where they will remain until after the funeral. Mr. Bock had visited here several times and was well known among the N. & W. road men of this city.

Red Cross Head Is Re-Appointed

WASHINGTON, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—John Barton Payne was re-appointed today by President Harding as chairman of the American Red Cross for another year.

Mr. Harding made the appointment as president of the relief organization. The five members of the organization's central committee, also were re-appointed.

LOCAL NEWS

Frank Valodin pleaded guilty and Isaac Mills pleaded not guilty to violating the dry law when they appeared in Municipal court Tensaly in connection with compplains field against them as the aftermath of the finding by the police of considerable liquor, wine and beer buried in a concrete vault on the small farm at Candy Run, near Lucasville, said to be owned by Mrs. Isaac Mills, of Front street.

Chief Distel told the court of the finding of the liquor and the arrest of Valodin, who was in charge of the place at the time and Valodin on being called to the witness stand by the state declared he rented the place from the owner and conducted it himself, including the store, and that Mills had no connection whatever with the establishment.

The police contended that Valodin told them that he conducted the place for Mills but this claim was ruled out as the state was bound to Valodin's testimony after calling him to the witness chair.

Attorney H. L. Small for Mills, moved the court to exclude the testimony given by the police on the ground that the state had failed to show that the property belonged to Mills or that he had guilty knowledge of the presence of the liquor there. The court continued the case until Thursday for further evidence and deferred sentence in the Valodin case until then.

Buy Christmas Seals.

It was learned Tuesday that an option has been given on the West property at Fourth and Gay streets, and if it is exercised it will mean the erection of another some building block in Portsmouth. The figures in the option it is understood are $55,000.

The property occupied by Win Nye and the Keystone Press has a frontage of 42 feet and a depth of 135 feet.

Buy Christmas Seals.

Wednesday Special

Roses One dozen nice roses, with 12 to 15 inch stems, deep pink, pink, light pink, red, yellow, white. Cash and carry. **$1.75** Per Dozen 15c Each

No charges, no deliveries at this prices.

This offer holds good as long as stock lasts but you had better get yours early. Every rose is a good tight bud and they must be seen to be appreciated.

APPROPRIATE CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Bright colored artificial baskets, candles and decorated candle sticks for your window during the Yuletide.

Bowls of Blooming Narcissus, Primroses and Cyclamen in bloom in pots, wrapped with appropriate crepe paper and tied with bright ribbon.

FREE

A bright attractive flower vase is furnished free with every order for flowers to go to a hospital or sick room.

The flowers are arranged in the vase in this store ready to be set on the table or stand in the sick room.

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Shopping at Voelker's store is a pleasure. Here you will find beautiful and useful presents for the grown up and toys for the children. You will find pleasant and courteous salespeople who will help with their suggestions, and thus make your shopping easier. Come to the Big East End Department Store where you will enjoy shopping.

GIFTS FOR WOMEN

Wool Dresses $9.95 to $19.95

A nice stylish dress will be very much appreciated by any woman. Prices on all dresses have been reduced.

Wool Coats $9.95 to $27.50

These coats are all this season's styles and the prices are very low.

Wool and Silk and Wool Hose $1.00 to $2.75

They come in all the wanted colors, with or without clocking.

Silk Hose $1.00 to $3.50

We have a very complete line of ladies' silk hose.

Crepe de Chine Waists $5.98

Made of heavy quality Crepe de Chine with silk Spanish lace combination.

GIFTS FOR GIRLS

Wool Coats $3.98 to $9.98

We still have some very nice coats for girls Our prices are right too.

Hats $2.50 and $2.98

Made of Ariadne Plush Crowns with Astrakhan brims.

Wool Middies $2.98

Come in red and blue, all wool middy twill.

Purses and Vanity Cases 50c

We have a nice assortment of purses and cases for girls.

Dolls, Dolls 25c to $4.98

We have the largest and best showing of dolls in the city.

GIFTS FOR MEN

Silk Shirts $4.25

A good heavy silk in beautiful stripe patterns. Price this shirt elsewhere, it will be $5 or $6. Sizes 14 to 17.

Silk Hose 50c to $1.50

We carry the famous Notaseme guaranteed hose, all colors, all sizes.

Wool Hose 50c to 75c

Come in black and heather mixtures of brown and blue, all sizes.

Silk and Silk Knit Ties 50c and $1

They come in all the shades of the rainbow. In nice holly boxes.

Sweater Jackets $3.98

Heather mixed all wool with two pockets.

GIFTS FOR BOYS

Norfolk Suits, Two Pants $9.98 and $13.50

All wool new fall styles. Silver watch and chain free with each suit.

Wool Pants $1.00

A pair of these nice wool pants will be appreciated by any boy.

Rubber Tire Wagons $7.50

Full roller bearing with disc steel wheels.

Overland Scooters $2.50

Rubber tired, all steel frame. You can go like the wind on one of these.

Drums, Drums 10c to $1.00

All sizes, all kinds. Many other toys for boys.

olf Expert Lays Out New West Side Course

After being shown over the new se of the Portsmouth Golf Club, ich is located on the Galena Pike, ven miles northwest of the city, nald Ross, famous golf expert, and o has laid out some of the finest f courses in the United States, ukly admitted that it would eas be converted into one of the best rses possible.

Arriving here from Birmingham oday, Mr. Ross met many mem- rs of the local club, and after joying lunch as the guest of the tary Club, he was driven to the new golf course by John F. Wilhelm, chairman of the green's committee. Mr. Ross stated that the big strip of ground contained natural hazards and bunkers that would be hard to beat and that there is ample ground to lay out fine approaches and putting greens.

"I have inspected courses all over the country and you have an ideal site for a splend'd course," Mr. Ross said after being escorted over the proposed new links. He laid out the links at Pinehurst, N. C., of which so much has been heard, and he is recognized as authority n golf matters, whether it pertains to golf playing or laying out of golf courses.

Mr. Ross has met many prominent local business men and is thoroughly enjoying his visit here, he coming a day ahead of his schedule so he could meet many local people.

Mr. Ross laid off a 9 hole course here yesterday that is ideal in every respect and left instructions as to how to make it an 18 hole course any time the expansion was deemed advisable.

Cities Want More Money

COLUMBUS, O., December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—Support of the proposed taxation bill of Representative Robert Taft, of Cincinnati, will be sought in the next general assembly, it was decided yesterday by the Ohio Municipal League, formed here yesterday by mayors and city managers from Ohio's larger municipalities.

The decision was regarded in some quarters as likely to set up a group whose purposes would be counter to those of the Cornstalk Club in the legislature.

At their meeting, the city officials expressed opinion that schools of the state were spending too much money both for employes and in construction and that the counties were expending more than their share of the tax receipts. The purpose of the organization it was announced will be to see that the cities get a fair share of the money obtained from taxation.

Destroyed By Fire

TOLEDO—The Co-operative Ready Cut House Company was destroyed by fire at an estimated loss of $75,000.

elby Superintendents And Foremen Hear A Fine Address Given By Prof. Frank Appel

One of the most interesting sers held by the Superintendent and remen's Association of the Selby ctory was the Thanksgiving-Christas meeting held Monday evening. The main address of the evening s given by Superintendent Frank ppel on the subject of "Levels of telligence As Applied To Industry." His remarks coming from one o has had much experience in the educational field were most interesting and he kept the attention of the large number from the time he started until he closed. His remarks included a description of the systems being introduced in the schools relative to the giving of mental tests and examinations.

Special music during the evening was furnished by the Sun Theatre orchestra, composed of Will Brandel, Ray Wheeler, George Hartman and Mrs. Dorothy Bredon, and the Orpreus Male Quartet, which includes C. C. Bennett, Harold Welch, H. C. Halstead and H. L. Fry.

At a short business session Charles Brasie of the employment department was admitted to membership.

The members started their meeting at five o'clock when a turkey supper with all the trimmings was enjoyed.

Daugherty

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The committee previously had decided to hear evidence on the charges the order in which they were presented in Mr. Keller's bill of specifications, but when the hearing opened, e Minnesota representative said he s not ready to go ahead on that sis he asked the first charge to be ken up by that alleging the appointment to office by Mr. Daugherty of n who were untrustworthy, corpt and dangerous to the liberties the people of the United States."

The second charge as listed for sentation by Mr. Keller is of "wilful and deliberate failure and refusal to enforce railroad safety appliance laws and the third, that Mr. augherty had perverted the legal ocesses in instituting injunction oceedings against railroad workers at Chicago.

Chairman Volstead announced that fter these three charges had been ard, the committee beginning not ter than next Tuesday, would proed with the other charges in the or of their presentation.

Three of these charges deal with leged failure to enforce the anti-ust laws and it was stated that muel Untermyer of New York, ecial counsel for the Lockwood inestigating committee would repreent Mr. Keller in their prosecution.

To support his charge that Mr. augherty has appointed unfit en to high office, Mr. Ralston ad a report from former Attorey General Wickersham to resident Taft recommending a rdon for Willard N. Jones, conicted of alleged land frauds in 07, on the ground that W. J. ans, later appointed by Mr. augherty as chief of the bureau investigation of the department justice, had been unduly active connection with the drawing e jury that convicted Jones.

President Taft in approving the rdon on June 2, 1912 wrote to r. Wickersham that this case sclosed the most "barefaced and nfair use of all the machinery for rawing a jury that has been disosed to me in all my experience ith the federal courts."

GOVERNMENT WILL NOT STOP PLAN TO CONSOLIDATE ARMOUR AND MORRIS

WASHINGTON, December 12.—(By the Associated Press)—President Harding and his advisers have decided that there is no obligation on the part of the administration to act on the application of Armour and Company to buy the assets of Morris and Company, another of the Chicago big five packers.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12—(By the A. P.)—Secretary Wallace will announce at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon his decision on Armour and Company's proposal to buy the physical assets of Morris and Company, another of the Chicago "big five" packing establishments.

It is understood that while the government does not propose to approve in advance any practices that might be adopted after such an acquisition the opinion will not hold that there is any legal obstacle to the purchase of the Morris concern by the Armour.

FARMERS BILL GOES AHEAD OF SHIPPING

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12—Republican leaders announced in the senate today that farm credits legislation would be given right of way when it is prepared and the administration shipping bill laid aside temporarily until an agricultural relief measure is passed.

Bandits Busy

KANSAS CITY, MO., Dec. 12—While the main lobby of the livestock exchange building was filled with cattle commission men and stock yards employes this afternoon, three bandits shot and probably fatally wounded Thomas F. Ahenry, credit manager of the Drovers National Bank and escaped with loot reported to be $40,000.

BANK MESSENGER ROBBED

CHICAGO, Dec. 12—Four bandits held up a messenger of the Logan Square Trust and Savings Bank and robbed him of $19,000 today in the busy Logan Square business district. The bandits attacked Patrick J. Caldwell, the messenger, near the elevated railway terminal. One of them struck him on the head while the others robbed him. The bandits fled in an automobile with the loot which was chiefly currency of small denominations. Besides the currency, the loot included checks to the amount of $35,000 all of which Caldwell was carrying in a satchel when he was set upon and black jacked.

Court House

Files Answer

Clifford Benner, through his attorneys, Blair & Blair, filed his answer and cross petition to the divorce petition of his wife, Dora Benner, in Common Pleas Court yesterday afternoon.

In his answer the husband admits that he and the plaintiff were married July 3, 1914, and that they have two children, Fred, aged 8, and Charlotte aged 6. He denies the charges in Mrs. Benner's petition, alleges that his wife has been too chummy with various men, and that she has been guilty of extreme cruelty, claiming that she cursed him, beat him and called him vulgar names.

Husband Files Cross Petition

Through Attorney S. Anselm Skelton, Russell Saunders filed his answer and cross petition to the divorce petition of his wife Pauline Saunders. Saunders admits that he married the plaintiff January 26, 1918, and that they have two children, Paul Russell, aged 4, and Carl Frederick, aged 2, and that he is paying her $25 a month under the direction of the Probate Court.

In his cross petition he alleges that she had been too chummy with one Charles Ferguson, and avers that she has associated with men of questionable character. He states that at different times, when they had effected a reconciliation, he has bought her additional furniture, but claims that after she had cut him with a knife, and, he says, struck him on the head with a blunt instrument so that it became necessary for him to submit to an operation, he left her.

He seeks divorce and the custody of their two children.

Abandon Will Contest

It was indicated Tuesday by Attorney B. F. Kimble that his client, William E. Conklin, plaintiff to the suit against Allie and Michael Conklin, executors, brought to contest the will of Joseph Conklin, deceased, had decided to abandon the contest. This action will result in the jury bringing in a formal verdict supporting the will in question when the case is called to trial in Common Pleas court Wednesday morning.

Conklin died at his home in Scioville on August 13, 1922, leaving his entire estate, valued at $6300 under the provisions of the will, later admitted to probate, to the defendants with cutting off his brother, the plaintiff without anything. The proponents of the will are represented by Attorneys Bannon and Bannon.

Echo of Auto Accident

The suit of T. R. Horton, 1221 Fourteenth street, against H. O. Barklow, Sheeum Station farmer, came to trial before Judge Thomas and a jury in Common Pleas court Tuesday.

On the morning of July 12th last, as Horton, who is 50 years old, and an employe of the N. & W. shops, was walking across Twelfth street, at Waller, he was struck by an automobile driven by the defendant and he sued for $10,500 damages for the injury, consisting of a broken right ankle, which he sustained.

In support of his petition the plaintiff testified that he was only about six feet from the south curb when hit and knocked down, the wheels on the south side of the machine, which was traveling west on Twelfth street, passing over his leg, inflicting the injury complained of. He asserted that the accident was due to the careless driving of the defendant, declaring that he swerved his machine to the south side of the street in order to avoid a collision with a truck traveling south on Waller street.

The defendant disclaimed any negligence and contended that Horton caused his own injury by deliberately walking into the path of the machine.

Attorneys Sherrard Johnson and E. G. Millar for plaintiff and Attorneys Blair and Blair for Barklow, who for many years conducted a grocery store at Twelfth and Offnere streets.

Continued For Further Evidence

Wesley and Sidney Call, young sons of John Call, 2118 Vinton avenue, were before the Juvenile court Tuesday on charges of delinquency in connection with alleged trespassing on the premises of Oscar Rickey, former railroad detective, and stealing pigeons.

After hearing the stories of the complainant and the two boys, Judge Gilliland continued the case until Friday for further evidence. The testimony adduced pointed to the innocence of the youths who strenuously deny guilt.

Robbery Trial Wednesday

Fred "Peg" Davis, negro, will be brought before Judge Thomas and a jury in Common Pleas court Wednesday morning on a charge of highway robbery. Davis is accused of "rolling" Russell Robinson, white, in a North End alley on the night of November 2, while the latter was in an intoxicated condition. Robinson claims Davis extracted $4 from his pockets and the defendant stoutly denies the charge. He will be defended by Attorney H. L. Small.

Wife Seeks Divorce

Nellie Mae Price, 1814 Eighth street, charges cruelty and neglect, in her suit for divorce and alimony with custody of their four minor children, instituted in Common Pleas court Tuesday against James Albert Price, woodworker, employed at the Breece plant, whom she married Dec. 1, 1901.

In her petition filed through Attorneys Blair and Blair the plaintiff complains that the defendant has failed to support his family and declares that he has cursed, beat and otherwise abused her, falsely accused her of unchastity, besides, she says, he has threatened to kill her and the children. She further says that by reason of the defendant's conduct she was compelled and did leave their home on December 9th last. The wife secured a temporary injunction restraining Price from cursing, beating or otherwise molesting her until the case can be heard on its merits.

Youth Held

C. W. Riggs, 17 years old, the youth with no home, who was found by the police Sunday wandering the streets of the East End in an intoxicated condition and sent to the Juvenile court for delinquency, is being held at the county jail pending disposition of his case. Judge Gilliland will make an effort to find a home for the lad.

Three Institutes

Three Farmers' Institutes will be held in this county next week. On Monday and Tuesday the first Institute will be held at Haverhill. Sedan has the second Institute on Wednesday and Thursday while the Otway meeting is Friday and Saturday. Splendid programs have been arranged for each Institute.

The state speakers at these meetings will include W. D. Zinn, editor of the National Stockman and Farmer; Mrs. F. M. Glasgow, well known authority on Home Economics and L. L. Rummell, of Ohio State University, now a special stock writer for the Ohio Farmer.

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Cut Glass
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Hosiery For Christmas

Women's fine Silk Hose, all colors, per pair $1.00
Women's Weldrest, tailored seam, Silk Hose, per pair $1.48
Women's Thread Silk Hose, full fashioned, all colors, a bargain at, per pair $1.98
Women's All Silk Hose, all colors, regular $3.98 value. Per pair $2.75

Gift Umbrellas

Children's Umbrellas, ring handles, at ..... $1.10 and $1.48
Women's Umbrellas, fancy and ring handles, Gloria Cloth $1.98
Women's fine Silk Umbrellas, all colors, special, sample line. Priced from ..... $4.50 to $8.50
Men's Umbrellas, special at ..... $1.48 up

Xmas Gift Specials

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs 10c
Men's Initial Handkerchiefs ..... 15c; two for 25c
Men's fine Initial Handkerchiefs 25c
Women's Linen Handkerchiefs 25c
Fine boxed Handkerchiefs at .. 25c, 48c, 59c, 75c, 98c, $1.25, $1.48

Cotton And Dress Goods

36 inch Brown Muslin, special, per yard 10c
Best quality Apron Gingham, per yard 15c
Serges, all colors, per yard ..... 89c, 98c, $1.39 and $1.98
Black Satine at, per yard ..... 27c, 35c and 39c
Xmas Turkish Towels at 27c, 48c, 79c, 98c
Dresser Scarfs at ..... 29c, 59c, 79c and 98c

TOYLAND SPECIALS

Mechanical Trains 98c
Humpty Dumpty Circus 75c
Climbing Monkey, 25c value, ... 10c
Coon Jiggers, 59c value, ... 39c
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Teddy Bears
Tin Dishes
Drums
Tin Wagons
Foot Balls
Tool Sets
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Dolls
Toy Pianos
Tinker Toys
Box Wood Building Blocks 19c
Toy Guns, special 39c
Electric Train complete $4.25
Rocking Horses ..... $1.48 up
Shooting Gallery 89c
Ma Ma Dolls, 24 inch, ... $2.98
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ROW IS STARTED IN OHIO CONFERENCE; CLAIM WESLEYAN GIVES FINANCIAL AID TO STAR PLAYERS

Charge Vigorously Denied; Commissioner To Settle All Disputes; Adopt Schedule

COLUMBUS, Dec. 12—(A. P.)—Granting of more power to faculty athletic representatives and the suggestion that a commissioner be appointed to settle various questions which present themselves, were the outgrowths of a turbulent meeting of Ohio conference football coaches and athletic directors here last night. The gathering accomplished its purpose—the drafting of the 1923 football schedules, but only after open charges had been made that practically every school in the conference had been aiding athletes in their financial arrangements with the institutions.

Most of the accusations made were to the effect that loans had been made to students rather than that any direct financial aid given without understanding that remuneration was to be made. Objection was made to a loan plan of Ohio Wesleyan which was said to include a total of more than 300 students of whom only approximately twenty were athletes. The loans were made, it was said, on notes signed by the students and payable after graduation with interest to date of payment.

Baldwin Wallace, a former member of the conference, but who has been out for several years, was elected to start a probation period next September, and Muskingum, on probation for the past year, was elected to full membership. Walter Livingston, coach at Denison, was elected president of the managers' association.

The following schedules were drawn up at the meeting here last night:

Miami—
Sept. 29—Open.
Oct. 6—Open.
October 13—Wooster at Wooster.
Oct. 20—Oberlin at Oxford.
Oct. 27—Dayton at Dayton.
Nov. 3—Open.
Nov. 10—Mount Union at Alliance.
Nov. 17—Akron at Oxford.
November 29—Cincinnati at Cincinnati.

Denison—
Oct. 6—Open.
Oct. 13—Cincinnati at Granville.
Oct. 20—Akron at Granville.
Oct. 27—Miami at Dayton.
Nov. 3—Open.
Nov. 10—Oberlin at Granville.
Nov. 17—Ohio at Granville.
Nov. 24—Wooster at Wooster.

Otterbein—
Sept. 29—Pending.
Oct. 6— Wooster at Wooster.
Oct. 12—Heidelberg at Tiffin.
Oct. 20—Hiram.
Oct. 27—Case at Cleveland.
Nov. 3—Open.
Nov. 10—Wittenberg at Springfield.
Nov. 17—Muskingum at New Concord.
Nov. 24—St. Xavier at Cincinnati.

Akron—
Oct. 20—Denison at Granville.
Oct. 27—Mt. Union.
Nov. 3—Ohio Northern at Ada.
Nov. 10—Wooster at Akron.
Nov. 17—Miami at Oxford.
Nov. 24—Ohio Wesleyan.

Mt. Union—
Sept. 29—Kent Normal.
Oct. 6—Open.
Oct. 13—Ashland at Ashland.
Oct. 20—Kenyon.
Oct. 27—Akron at Akron.
Nov. 3—Case.
Nov. 10—Miami.
Nov. 17—Wittenberg at Springfield
Nov. 29—Wooster.

Cincinnati University—
Sept. 29—Open.
October 6—Kentucky State.
Oct. 13—Denison at Granville.
Oct. 20—Ohio at Athens.
Oct. 27—Wooster.
Nov. 3——Oberlin at Oberlin.
Nov. 10—Ohio Northern.
Nov. 17—Case.
Nov. 29—Miami.

Reserve—
Oct. 6—Muskingum.
Oct. 13—Hiram at Hiram.
Oct. 20—Ohio Northern.
Oct. 27—Ohio University at Athens.
Nov. 3—Wooster.
Nov. 10—Kenyon at Gambier.
Nov. 17—Oberlin at Oberlin.
Nov. 24—Heidelberg at Tiffin.
Nov. 29—Case.

Case—
Oct. 6—Michigan at Ann Arbor.
Oct. 13—Oberlin.
Oct. 20—Wooster at Wooster.
Oct. 27—Otterbein.
Nov. 3—Mt. Union at Alliance.
Nov. 10—Baldwin Wallace.
Nov. 17—Cincinnati at Cincinnati.
Nov. 24—Hiram.
Nov. 29—Reserve.

Ohio Wesleyan—
Oct. 6—Ohio State at Columbus.
Oct. 13—Ohio Northern.
Oct. 20—Wittenberg at Springfield.
Oct. 27—Open.
Nov. 10—Ohio University.
Nov. 17—St. Xavier.
Nov. 24—Akron at Akron.

St. Xavier—
Oct. 13—Ohio University.
Nov. 10—Navy at Annapolis.
Nov. 17—Wesleyan at Delaware.
Nov. 24—Otterbein.
Nov. 29—Haskell Indians.

Wittenberg—
Oct. 6—Open.
Oct. 13—Open.
Oct. 20—Wesleyan.
Oct. 26—Kenyon.
Nov. 3—Open.
Nov. 10—Otterbein.
Nov. 17—Mt. Union.
Nov. 24—Ohio Northern.

Oberlin—
Sept. 29—Hiram.
Oct. 6—Ohio.
Oct. 13—Case at Cleveland.
Oct. 20—Miami at Oxford.
Oct 27—Amherst at Amherst Mass.
Nov. 3—Cincinnati.
Nov. 10—Denison at Granville.
Nov. 17—Reserve.

Wooster—
Sept. 29—Open.
Oct. 6—Otterbein.
Oct. 13—Miami.
Oct. 20—Case.
Oct. 27—Cincinnati at Cincinnati.
Nov. 3—Reserve at Cleveland.
Nov. 10—Akron at Akron.
Nov. 17—Open.
Nov. 24—Denison.
Nov. 29—Mt. Union at Alliance.

Kenyon—
Oct. 6—Hiram at Hiram.
Oct. 13—Muskingum.
Oct. 20—Mt. Union at Alliance.
Oct. 26—Wittenberg at Springfield.
Nov. 3—Ohio at Athens.
Nov. 10—Reserve.

Muskingum—
Oct. 6—Reserve at Cleveland.
Oct. 13—Kenyon at Gambier.
Oct. 27—Heidelberg at Tiffin.
Nov. 3—Hiram.
Nov. 17—Otterbein.

Hiram—
Sept. 29—Oberlin at Oberlin.
Oct. 6—Kenyon.
Oct. 13—Reserve.
Oct. 20—Otterbein at Westerville.
Oct. 27—Open.
Nov. 3—Muskingum.
Nov. 10—Heidelberg.
Nov. 17—Open.
Nov. 24—Case at Cleveland.

Baldwin Wallace—
Sept. 29—Kenyon.
Oct. 5—Antioch.
Oct. 10—Ashland at Ashland.
Oct. 27—Ohio Northern at Ada.
Nov. 10—Case at Cleveland.

Ohio Northern—
September 29, open.
Oct. 6, open.
Oct. 13, Wesleyan at Delaware.
Oct. 20, Reserve at Cleveland.
Oct. 27, Baldwin Wallace.
Nov. 3, Akron.
Nov. 10, Cincinnati at Cincinnati.
Nov. 17, open.
Nov. 24, Wittenberg at Springfield.

Heidelberg—
October 12, Otterbein.
Oct. 27, Muskingum.
Nov. 10, Hiram.
Nov. 24, Reserve.

Ohio University—
Sept. 29, open.
Oct. 6, Oberlin at Oberlin.
Oct. 13, St. Xavier at Cincinnati.
Oct. 20, Cincinnati.
Oct. 27, Reserve.
Nov. 3, Kenyon.
Nov. 10, Wesleyan at Delaware.
Nov. 17, Denison at Granville.
Nov. 29, Marietta.

Billy Evans' Honor Roll—

PACIFIC COAST

Ends—Muller-California Berkey-California—McFadden-Oregon Aggies Hall-Washington Milton-Southern Calif. Patrie-Washington

Tackles—Beam-California Ingram-Washington Locey-Oregon Aggies Dunton-Washington State—Witter-California Shipkey-Stanford Vonder Ahe-Oregon

Guards—Clarke-California Doan-California—Calland-Southern Calif. Kuhn-Washington Faville-Stanford Durwatcher-Washington State Shields-Oregon—

Centers—De Groot-Stanford Callison-Oregon Gallagher-California—

Quarterbacks—Erb-California Chapman-Oregon Woodward-Stanford Abel-Washington

Halfbacks—Nichols-California Ziel-Washington Wilcox-Stanford Hicks-Washinton State—Baker-Southern California Dunn-California

Fullbacks—Morrison-California Nisbet-California Latham-Oregon

Masonic Bowling League

TEAM STANDING

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
W. U. S.	23	16	589
Pullers	21	15	583
Adjustos	22	17	564
Canaries	20	16	556
Dependables	21	18	538
Prophetts	21	18	538
Mutuals	18	18	500
Colonials	17	19	472
Unknowns	17	19	472
Max	16	20	444
Youngsters	14	22	380
Jerseys	12	24	333

Games Tonight
Max vs Jerseys.
Unknowns vs Mutuals.

Games Next Week
Monday W. U. S. vs Pullers.
Monday—Dependables vs Canaries.
Tuesday—Unknowns vs Prophets.
Tuesday—Adjustos vs Max.
Wednesday—Colonials vs Jerseys.
Wednesday—Youngsters vs Mutuals.

Last Night's Results

Prophets—				
Pepper	228	170	156	554
Howland	147	182	146	475
Coe	132	152	154	438
Cox	138	132	155	425
Eisnaugle	142	163	145	450
Totals	787	799	756	2342
W. U. S.—				
G. Wilhelm	168	173	148	489
Blind	125	125	125	375
Updegraff	161	121	145	427
W. Wilhelm	144	161	177	482
Walters	191	182	160	533
Totals	789	762	755	2306
Dependables—				
Duehler	147	204	137	488
Bayless	142	114	142	398
Donaldson	169	141	151	461
Higgins	139	200	183	522
Leach	184	151	186	521
Totals	781	810	799	2390
Adjustos—				
Underwood	146	152	140	438
Crichton	157	163	171	491
Rickey	136	171	162	469
J. Wilhelm	135	166	157	458
L. York	173	180	193	546
Totals	747	832	823	2402

DUCK PIN LEAGUE

TEAM STANDING

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
LeMaster-Briggs	33	12	700
Kelley-Knost	32	13	711
Mansfield-Lego	29	21	580
Hamm-McCoy	20	20	500
Wolff-Lewis	22	23	489
Pherson-James	22	23	489
Hadley-Davidson	19	26	422
Glickert-Cooper	18	24	400
Hughes-Blood	15	30	333
Albertson-Morris	12	33	267

Games Tonight
Hughes-Blood vs Glickert-Cooper.

Last Night's Results

Briggs	88	105	123	98	84	498
LeMaster	120	119	142	141	145	667
Totals	208	224	265	239	229	1165
VS						
Lego	86	120	120	126	122	571
Mansfield	118	120	134	135	85	592
Totals	201	240	254	261	207	1163

SELBY BOWLING LEAGUE

Last Night's Results

Trolleys—				
George	146	183	119	448
Musser	181	107	146	434
Miller	160	131	177	468
Erfurth	154	140	143	437
Marple	172	177	204	553
Totals	813	737	789	2340
Giants—				
Nardi	123	144	120	387
Prince	148	148	149	445
Nedler	147	107	167	421
Hobbs	137	183	139	459
Davidson	150	202	181	533
Totals	705	784	756	2245
Scrappers—				
Gilden	163	156	130	449
Crisp	123	133	124	380
Lemon	168	158	144	470
Hellman	166	159	182	507
Moore	185	175	209	569
Totals	805	781	789	2375
Rim Shiners—				
Gies	133	146	128	407
Flowers	102	158	137	397
Keeton	163	162	144	469
Southworth	168	132	171	471
Shepherd	198	203	178	579
Totals	764	801	758	2323

Buy Christmas Seals.

Bout Is Stopped

DAYTON, Dec. 12—The scheduled 8 round bout between Dan Bowsher of Lima and Glenn Coakley of Ft. Wayne, was stopped in the fifth round last night by the referee, who declared it no contest.

The third man in the ring said that neither Bowsher nor Coakley was trying.

By A Shade

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 12—Benny Valger of New York was given a newspaper verdict over Bud Christiana of Chicago in their twelve round no-decision bout here last night.

Chance Signs To Boss The Red Sox

According to telegraphic information from New York, Frank Chance, former boss of the Chicago Cubs, has just signed a contract to manage the Boston Red Sox. He is a real baseball strategist and may be just the man to put a winner in the Hub City.

Buy Christmas Seals.

Kearney Matched

Mike Kearney must be broke again. He is returning to the ring for some soft money. He has been matched to fight Jack Sheppard 10 rounds in the Casino in Clyffside Park, Ashland.

Red Pitchers Had A Big Season

NEW YORK, Dec. 12—The official pitching averages of the National League made public by President John A. Heydler today are complimentary to the Red hurlers who finished one, two, three in percentage of games won and lost. Pete Donohue, Eppa Rixey and John Couch, in the order named, led all the other pitchers of the league, indicating one of the main reasons why the Reds finished in the runner-up position in the league race.

Donohue led the league with the fine average of .667, meaning that he won two out of every three games he pitched. Pete took part in 33 championship games, of which he received credit for 27, winning 18 and and losing nine.

Rixey Biggest Winner

Eppa Rixey was the biggest winner in the league and the most consistent worker. He won more games than anyone else, landing on the long end in 25 contests and losing 13. The big fellow pitched more innings than any other hurler in the league and faced more batters than any other pitcher.

Couch was not so effective as the two other leading hurlers in regard to allowing earned runs, but his winning percentage of games was exceeded only by the figures of Donohue and Rixey. Couch took part in 43 games and his winning average was .640. He was asteady and reliable worker at all times.

Rough Season For Huntington Hi

Huntington Hi the past season found the going rather tough. Here it its record:

Huntington High	19	Ceredo-Kenova	6
Huntington High	6	Marietta, O.	7
Huntington High	31	South High (Columbus, O.)	6
Huntington High	7	Athens, O.	21
Huntington High	20	Ashland, Ky.	6
Huntington High	13	Parkersburg	7
Huntington High	0	Stivers (Dayton)	57
Huntington High	6	Charleston	6
Huntington High	6	Clarksburg	12

Charity To Get Big Sum From Baseball

NEW YORK, Dec. 12—Distribution to charity of $120,554, representing receipts of the world series tie game last October, between the New York Yankees and Giants will be made here December 20, according to announcement here today by baseball commissioner Landis.

Juniors Book Two Games

The Batesman Selects Juniors will play their first game Friday evening when they journey to Augusta, Ky. On Saturday night they continue on to Brooksville for another battle. These two teams have been easy marks for the Selects in the past seasons and this year Manager Baesman is sending his junior team to these towns believing that the Juniors can give them tight games.

MEN ARE WANTED IN HAWAII

The local army recruiting office open at the National Guard armory on Third street, received word Monday that 63 men are wanted for service in Hawaii. Nineteen are wanted for the infantry and 44 for the field artillery. One hundred and fifteen vacancies exist in the 8th Corps Area. Of this number 59 are wanted for the infantry, 44 for the field artillery and 12 for the engineering corps.

Close Deal

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Behr of Piketon have bought Mr. and Mrs. George Stapleton's property at Eighth and Broadway streets. They bought it as a home and Mr. Behr will convert part of it into a barber shop. Later on Mr. and Mrs. Stapleton expect to move to the country.

Buy Christmas Seals.

Are Recovering

Edward Pistole and son, Everett of Union Mills are recovering from injuries they suffered when their buggy was demolished when a machine recently crashed into it.

EX-BANK CASHIER'S TRIAL BEGINS TODAY

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Dec. 12—(By The United Press)—Trial of Homer Dean, formerly of Sutton, W. Va., who was arrested last summer at Cincinnati, Ohio, after an absence of eight years, under an indictment in connection with alleged irregularities in the Bank of Sutton, was to begin here today.

Dean's sensational arrest was made by department of justice attaches last summer. He had changed his name and was working for an aluminum company as Homer Holt. He is married and his family lives in Columbus, Ohio.

After the arrest in Cincinnati, Dean was brought here and held in the city jail while bond was being fixed. He then returned to Columbus where he remained until recalled here.

Dean was cashier of the bank when the irregularity occurred.

Basketball Quiz

OUT OF BOUNDS

How do the officials determine who shall get the ball when it goes out of bounds?

The ball is caused to go out of bounds by the last player touched by it before it crosses the line. It becomes the property of the opposing team at the point it went out of bounds and shall be put in play at that point.

HELD BALL

How is a held ball determined?

A held ball is a matter of opinion on the part of the official. A ball is regarded as held when two players of opposing teams have one or both hands on the ball and are fighting for possession of same, or when one closely guarded player is withholding the ball from play.

TAKEN OUT

If a player is taken out of the game can he again be sent back into the lineup?

If a player has left the game except for disqualification for four personal fouls or for other disqualifications, he may re-enter the game once.

OVER LINE

Is a player out of bounds if one foot is over the line but the rest of his body inside the court?

A player is out of bounds when any part of his body touches the boundary line or the floor outside the boundary line.

POSITION

What position is proper for players to take when the ball is put in play by a toss other than in the center?

When the referee puts the ball in play by a toss-up between two players other than center, the players shall assume the same position in relation to each other as when jumping in the center. One of the hands must be in contact with the middle of the small of the back.

MIDDY BLOUSE

A flannel middy blouse has a collar and cuffs of checked gingham, which gives it a distinctive air. The accessories are detachable and correspond with the color of the blouse.

VOLLEY BALL

River City League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Tigers	24	6	.800
Faculty	18	6	.750
Standards	13	13	.500
Bankers	9	24	.273
Giants	8	22	.267

The Tigers won three from the Bankers last evening thus increasing substantially their already good lead in the league. They are now six games ahead of the Faculty aggregation, their nearest opponents. 21-4, 21-15, and 21-18, are the results of last evening's contests.

The linenps:

Tigers: Horr, Wells, Geller, Ketter, Baker.

Bankers: Uhl, Brunny, Norris, McNamara, Williams and Pratt.

Selby League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Wizards	26	7	.788
Pirates	23	10	.697
Selects	19	20	.487
Giants	19	20	.487
Super Six	14	25	.359
Cuckoos	10	20	.250

The Selects forfeited three games to the Giants last evening by their failure to put in apearance at the court.

Portsmouth League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Leaders	4	4	.917
Saps	31	14	.689
Bearcats	23	25	.479
Phi Psi	7	22	.214
Colts	18	40	.107

The Leaders took three in a row from the Bearcats last night, without even giving the latter outfit a look in at the wining figure. Here's how they stacked up: 21-8 21-10, 21-11.

The lineups:

Leaders: Bruce, Debo, Peters, Stevenson, Stockham, G. Winebrenner.

Bearcats: Arthurs, Haas, Brodbeck, Howland, Herms, Bryant.

At Hampton Roads

Raymond Lewis of this city and who recently enlisted in the U. S. navy is now located at Hampton Roads, Va., where he will remain indefinitely.

FOR NEGLIGEES

Tie-dyed fabrics are much in demand for negligees and house frocks. They may be had in different materials, including crepes, radiums and satins.

EDDIE'S FRIENDS

The Finish Of The Session

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THE WIZARD AT IT AGAIN

THOMAS A. EDISON'S disapproval of the present day college graduate will revive the controversy aroused by his former intelligence questionnaire. His main obcection is that the average graduate objects to work, especially if it is dirty. Lack of imagination and initiative is another fault. The collegian thinks he knows it all; he does not want to begin at the bottom and work up; he wants to start at the top. These defects have been noticed in some products of the high school and, indeed, it is characteristic of many of the modern youth.

Which gives point to Edison's remark that as a rule the right kind of men don't go to college, another way of saying that too many of the wrong kind do. College, he admits, is a good place for the man who wants to work, but there are very few of that type nowadays. Possibly the rush to the colleges is the result, the notion that a college education will lead to a soft snap without work, a "white collar job." It was not that way in older days when going to college was a serious preparation for a life work.

The inventor's criticism is based on experience, shared by many employers. The colleges are blamed because they cannot turn out a first class product with inferior material. The remedy is closer selection of students. Provoked by collegiate shortcomings, Edison says college education is not a necessity, but he recognizes that, given to the proper type of student, it is an advantage. Men of natural gifts can succeed without it, as in his own case, but all the college education in the world could not make a dullard into an Edison.

BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS

PERSONS in this vicinity have become so accustomed to buying Christmas seals as part of the holiday preparation that it ought not and is not necessary to call attention to the worthiness of this device to aid the victims of tuberculosis and fight the spread of the disease.

It is not necessary to recite statistics to prove that the crusade against this devastating ill is making progress, that the death rate is falling, that the victims are getting better care and best of all that the disease itself is not having the easy time of it that it once was the case.

The cost of these stamps or seals is trifling, the message they carry wholesome and Christmas-like when attached to letters and parcels and the trail of sunshine they scatter with their proceeds constitute an inviting challenge to all thoughtful and sympathetic people.

To buy these seals ought to be only to be reminded of them.

ACHIEVING THE IMPOSSIBLE

SOMEBODY has said that the American national motto should be: "It can't be done—let's do it." The reference is to the typical American attitude of courage and confidence toward the seemingly impossible task. This trait has just been strikingly exemplified by workers of the American Committee for Devastated France. In the portion of the country that was laid waste by the German invaders is what is known as the Zone Rouge, the "red zone," where government officials have declared the land irreclaimable.

In this district the committee made special efforts. Refusing to be daunted by the pessimistic official prediction, the committee set tractors and other modern farm machinery to work. A syndicate was formed to loan money to the impoverished farmers and they are now beginning to pay back the money. A co-operative society was organized through which the farmers and their laborers were able to buy material at low prices. Fields that long lay waste have been reclaimed, homes have been rebuilt and a whole region that had been officially abandoned is being restored to prosperity and usefulness.

And all because a handful of optimistic, determined Americans refused to admit the possibility of failure in the face of great initial discouragement.

FREEING THE DARDENELLES

THE most hopeful news that has come from the Lausanne conference is the allied proposal, favorably received by the Turks, for the dismantling of fortifications at the Dardanelles and the freeing of the straits to the ships of peace and war of all nations. This is noteworthy progress toward world concord, for the program would go far toward removing a source of friction. The plan to administer the zone through an international commission is in line with the irresistible tendency toward a firmly knit world organization.

That the formal proposal for internationalization of the straits came immediately after the United States laid down demand at Lausanne for an open door challenge the American government to participate willingly in its proper share of the task. There was much reason in the Turkish assertion, at the opening of the present parley, that the United States could not claim privileges in and influence upon Turkish settlement unless it were willing to assume its portion of responsibility. That argument is given special point in the definite suggestion of Lord Curzon for accomplishing something positive, constructive and safe for peace, democracy, civilization and all the other aims of which so much was heard only a few years ago.

"Turkey and soviet in accord." To your ententes, oh Ishmaels!

Santa Claus is one person who seems to know how to take a hint.

Expert says there are 1,600,000 styles of women's shoes. And I pinch the wearer.

Wins Chinese Baby Show Prize

The first Chinese baby show was held in New York under the auspices of the Women's Sewing Circle. Helen Wong, the lustily howling baby shown here, won the first prize.

New York=Day=By=Day

BY O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, Dec. 12—The professional week-enders have reached the end of the trail. Winter is here. Country homes are closed and there is no room for them in the small city apartments. They must exist on scant fare until spring comes again.

Only a city like New York nourishes this strange type of boudoir grafter. There are thousands of them—women without incomes who drift from one country home to another unbidden. Usually they are cultured creatures whose fortunes went on the rocks.

One of the most persistent at one time owned a marble town house on the avenue which had a drawing room suite of furniture belonging to Napoleon. Good birth and good breeding are hers but she is penniless. She is "cold shouldered" among the elite but welcomed by the noveau riche.

She, like her innumerable sisters, is able to give valuable pointers on managing servants and to shom to cater in polite circles. They are adept in conversation and able to keep all the visitors talking. In this way they pay for their keep.

There is a lower strata of professional week enders who offer nothing—save perhaps a few snappy epigrams from jotley books. They are brazen in inviting themselves to homes where social barriers would ordinarily bar them.

Calloused to rebuffs, they crash into drawing rooms with cool indifference to lifted eye-brows. After all, ladies must live. At fashionable Southampton last season a matron closed her home in mid-season. She confided that she had fourteen house guests. Only five of them had been invited.

The biggest scandal New York has known in years is raging. It concerns the amours of a dusky belle of a midnight dance resort. The tale is told that an admirer of the mulatto girl was so shocked at the refusal of a Park Avenue apartment house to give her a suite of rooms that he purchased the entire building and the young lady is ensconced there in queenly splendor. She is dripping with diamonds and rides around in a Rolls-Royce. A few years ago she was a housemaid in the home of a Harlem undertaker.

A group of factory girls near Center Market have solved the problem of reducing and at the same time saving luncheon money. All of them weighed more than 150 pounds. They stopped eating lunch and went to a pickle store in the neighborhood where they invested a few cents for a pickle and made their meal of that. They are now weighing around 125 pounds.

A feverish search for treasure is being conducted in the bed of the East River. It is being financed by a group of Broadwaytes, who are eternally seeking new excitement. In 1780 the British frigate Russar, carrying $2,500,000 in gold consigned to the royal forces on this continent, struck a rock opposite the upper end of Randalls Island and sank about a hundred yards from shore. Cafe proprietors are hoping that the treasure will be retrieved. It would toss a little jazz into the waning life of Flash Alley.

The old Union League Club on Fifth Avenue is now being torn down. A department store from the Herald Square district is to take its place. It was a gloomy old place and the window loungers seemed little interested in the flashing parade that went by.

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Doc Koko's KOLUM

Footsteps at the Door
By Chart Pitt

It's night again—I dream of your returning,
Or startle at a shadow on the floor—
Waiting while the empty years are yearning
For the sound of footsteps at the cabin door.
On a distant hill the rainbow-mists are falling,
And the restless heart of youth must have its day,
I tremble—for the gipsy lure is calling,
And the long, long road still beckons you away.

Once again the dreary star-shine glistens
Across the miles where night-dew spills its musk.
The whip-poor-will has hushed his song and listens
To your footsteps growing fainter in the dusk.
Though far afield tonight, I know you're dreaming
Of a garden where the crimson poppy flares;
The gipsy-god will keep your camp-fire gleaming—
And a mother's soul will guard you with her prayers.

Normal

Lawyer: "How large were the hoofs? Were they as large as my feet or my hands?"

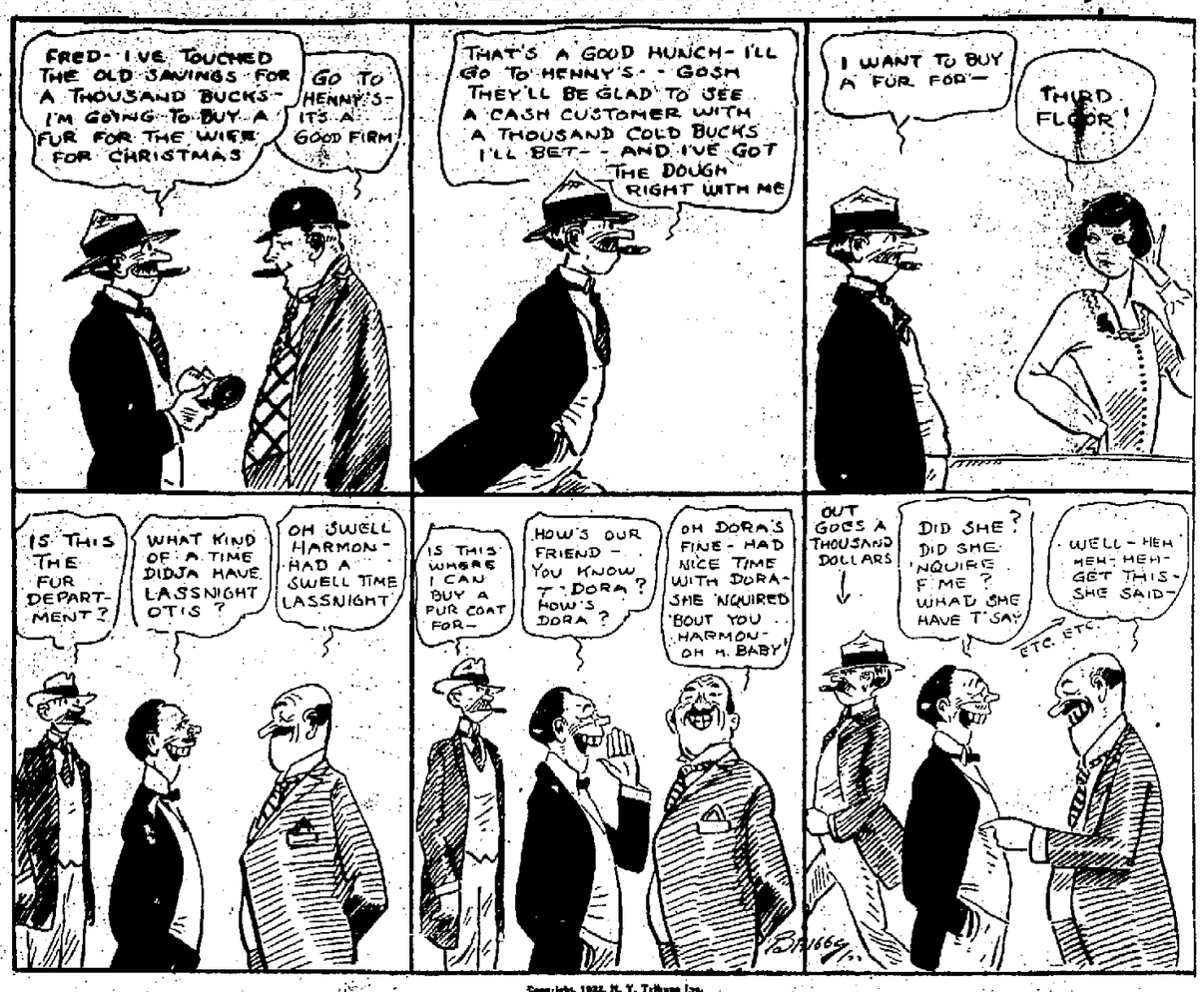
Darky: "No, sah; they was jus' ordinary-sized hoofs, sah."—The Harvard Lampoon.

Equal Rating

Over in the colored quarters of Camp Joseph E. Johnston, Florida, during the war, a big unbleached sergeant was telling his outfit that a new major general was taking command and would probably pay them a visit.

"Don't none of you boys git flustrated if he axes you questions," he encouraged. "You buck privates jest gotta remember you and de gin-ral is fifty-fifty. You kain't redoose him and he kain't redoose you."

IT HAPPENS IN THE BEST REGULATED SHOPS — BY BRIGGS



Thy Other Cheek

On the stools in the crowded lunchroom the customers were eating almost cheek to cheek. One stool was occupied by an old and decrepit man, the expression in whose eyes suggested poor vision. Poising his fork vaguely in the air he managed to ram it into his neighbor's cheek.

The injured one broke into fluent profanity, stopping only on receiving a violent nudge from his companion.

"Shut up," the latter urged. "Can't you see he's blind?"

"Gosh, I didn't notice," whispered the wounded man after an inspection. Then, turning around on the stool, he offered, "Here you are, old timer. Try the other ear and take a good bite."

Three Words A Day

ASCETIC

Adjective: pronounced a-set-ik; accent on second syllable. Severe; austere; unduly strict in religious exercises; given to rigid self-denial. Example: While rather pleasant in a general way, when it comes to his church he is extremely ascetic.

COMMUNICABLE

Adjective: pronounced kom-mu-ni-ka-bl; accent on second syllable. Capable of being imparted; transferable; catching; ready to converse or impart information. Example: Manners, like diseases, are very communicable; men catch them from each other.

ASCERTIVE

Adjective: pronounced a-ser-tiv; accent on second syllable. Positive; peremptory; affirming confidently. Example: He is rather too ascertive to suit me; he brooks no opposition or argument.

(L. G. Reynolds Service)

Like an Elephant

While in the country last summer a little city boy saw his first baby pig, and it made a great impression on him. So great was the impression in fact, that the youngster made pig the first object of his concern when the family again visited the country place this spring.

"Where is my little piggie?" he immediately inquired.

"Come with me and I will show you," his country cousin replied.

When the city boy reached the pen with his companion and saw what looked to be about eight hundred pounds of pork "on the hoof" he was dumbfounded.

"And did that little piggie grow as much as that in one year?"

"Yes."

In open-eyed wonder the boy exclaimed:

"Gee! I betcha when I come back next summer he'll have a trunk."

An Example to Follow

"To what do you attribute your long life, Uncle Mose?" asked a newspaper interviewer of a colored centenarian.

"Becuz Ah was bo'n a long time back," the old gentleman replied.

No Poetry In That

The poet raved, as poets do,
About the morning dew;
His wife was raving, too.
Because the rent was due.

Wise Jottings

Fortunate is the liar who loses his reputation.

Price tags never accompany real Christmas gifts.

Considering what most people are willing to do for money, it's a wonder there are not more millionaires.

A smile is merely a little noiseless laugh.

Every time a man is found dead in a bathroom some people think they have an additional reason for boycotting water.

One reform in currency that might well be hurried along is a matter of getting change back in a crowded department store.

Nothing to Do

"I've just fired my designer," announced the dress manufacturer.

"What for?"

"With the present styles I felt he wasn't earning his salary."

An Old-Fashioned Missus

Mary said a little damn,
In a sub-deb style, you know.
But her mother washed her mouth with soap
In the style of long ago.

Unconvinced

North: "I see they're reviving the talk about trial marriages. Do you believe in them?"

West: Well, mine is quite a trial, but I can't say I believe in it especially."

A Blunder

The Farmer: "Ah. There you are! Where have you been all this time? And where's the mare I told you to get shod?"

The Hand: "Shod! I thought you said shot! I've just been a-burying of 'er."—Sketch.

Discretion

"Rastus," demanded the judge sternly, "are you guilty or not guilty? In other words, did you or did you not steal those chickens?"

Rastus squirmed uneasily.

"Wait until Ah heahs de evidence," he finally answered.

Expresses Regret

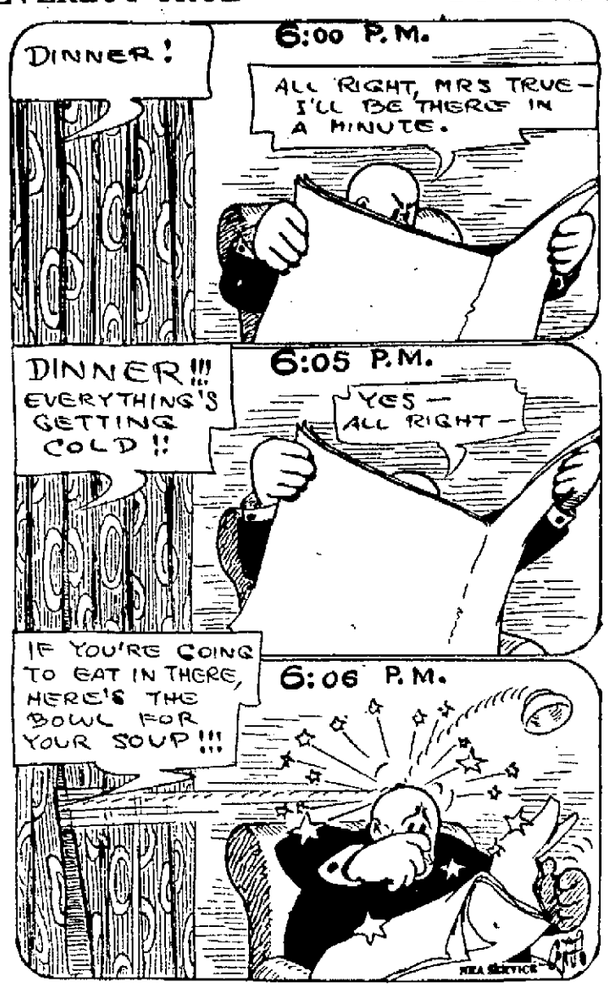
President Adam Frick, of the Chamber of Commerce has written manager Albert Graf of the Leet Lumber Company, expressing his regret over the big loss suffered by the company in the fire early Sunday morning.

BROCADES

Brocaded chiffon velvet is to be very popular this winter because it adapts itself so admirably to the present styles. Frequently the patterns are outlined with beads for extra elaboration.

CHARLESTON—Navy recruiting office opens here.

EVERETT TRUE — BY CONDO



Abe Martin

One good thing about th' days gittin' shorter—we don't have t' wait so long fer "important arrests before nightfall." Ther's plenty o' good nickel cigars, but they cost too much.

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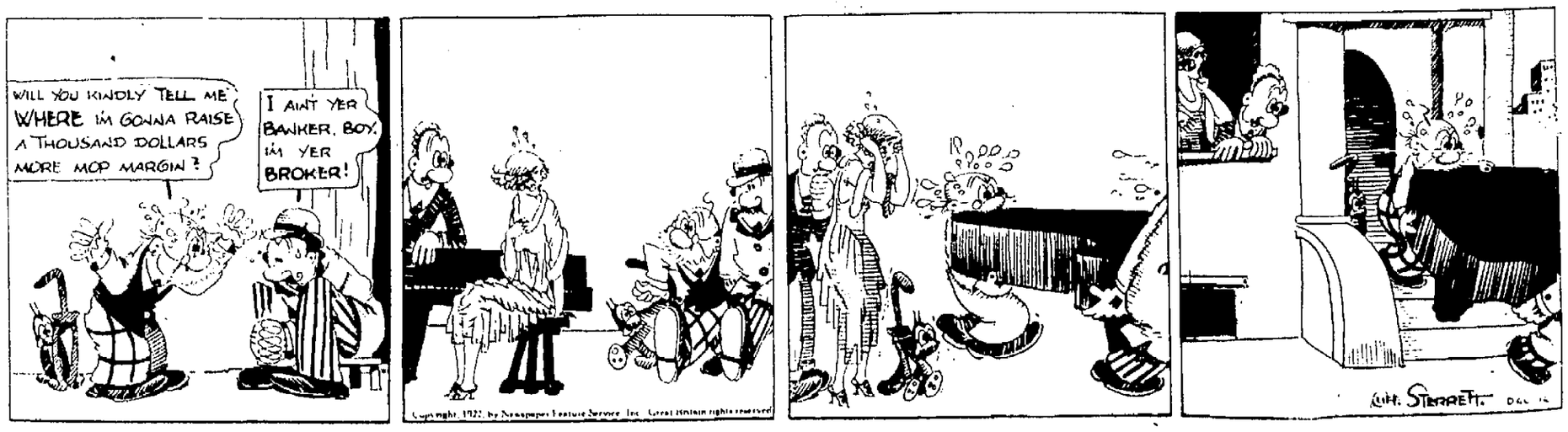
POLLY AND HER PALS — Pa Gets A Few Notes Out Of The Piano — BY CLIFF STERRETT